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ABOUT OUR COVER

Growth is the name of what is happening in Milford these days, and the cover picture is intended to sum up that growth. In the background is one of the many condominiums being erected, and in the foreground is an electronic transit which is needed to position buildings, water and sewer lines, etc.

—Photo by Bill Ferguson

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

May Gaffney	Term expires 1985
Frank Stetson	Term expires 1985
William English	Term expires 1986
Rosario Ricciardi	Term expires 1987
Avery R. Johnson	Term expires 1987

Administrative Assistant

Lee H. Mayhew

Superintendent of Public Works/Administrative Head of Wastewater Treatment Plant

Robert E. Courage

Building Inspector/Assessor

Moderator

Robert D. Philbrick

Librarian

Arthur L. Bryan

Tax Collector

Wilfred A. Leduc

Town Clerk

Wilfred A. Leduc

Chief of Police

Steven C. Sexton

Checklist Supervisors

Edward Thane	Term expires 1986
Frances Rivard	Term expires 1988
John C. Farwell	Term expires 1990

Town Treasurer
Septima L. Gaidmore

Water Advisory Board

John Sargent	Term expires 1985
Lovell A. Wright	Term expires 1986
Owen P. Fisk	Term expires 1987

Fire Wards

Richard P. Tortorelli	Term expires 1985
Stephen Sears	Term expires 1986
Dominic A. Calvetti	Term expires 1987

Trustees of Trust Funds

Robert J. Kerr	Term expires 1985
Richard P. Fisk	Term expires 1986
Donald Blanchette	Term expires 1987

Cemetery Advisory Board

James Heald	Term expires 1985
Lester Perham	Term expires 1986
Antimo Carpentiere	Term expires 1987

Trustees of Wadleigh Memorial Library

Deborah J. Draper	Term expires 1985
Kelly Carter	Term expires 1985
Denise Johnson	Term expires 1986
Ronald N. Lindquist	Term expires 1986
Mervin D. Newton	Term expires 1987
Phillip Savage	Term expires 1987

Health Officer

Alexandre G. Law, M.D.

Parks and Playgrounds Advisory Board

Janice Cook	Term expires 1985
Bruce M. Varney	Term expires 1985
Joseph L. Swiezynski	Term expires 1986
Edward Comolli	Term expires 1987

Civil Defense Director

Fred R. Luongo

Board of Adjustment

Robert P. Odell, Chairman	Term expires 1988
Ronald Violette	Term expires 1985
John Ruonala	Term expires 1985
Patricia Stinson	Term expires 1987
David Bianchi	Term expires 1987
Kathleen Maher (Alternate)	Term expires 1986
Deanne Carter (Alternate)	Term expires 1986
James Wetherbee (Alternate)	Term expires 1986
Margaret McCormack (Alternate)	Term expires 1986

Conservation Commission

Avery R. Johnson	Selectmen Representative
Norman Erikson	Planning Board Representative
John Hohenadel	Term expires 1985
Russell N. Monbleau, Jr., Chairman	Term expires 1985
Edna Silva	Term expires 1985
John Ferguson, Jr.	Term expires 1986
Michael Deasy	Term expires 1986
Lorraine Carson	Term expires 1987
Hazel Burns	Term expires 1987

Planning Board

William English	Selectmen Representative
Francis Mistrangelo, Chairman	Term expires 1985
Peter Leishman	Term expires 1986
Richard Mace	Term expires 1986
Norman Erikson	Term expires 1986
John Maffee	Term expires 1987
John Burke	Term expires 1987
Robert Wisniewski (Alternate)	Term expires 1987
Michele Barg (Alternate)	Term expires 1987

Nashua Regional Planning Commission

Thomas T. Johnson	Katherine Maher
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Band Concert Committee

Anne Adams, Chairman	Katherine Gilman
Stephen Flammia	

Budget Committee

**Dr. Richard St. Cyr
Antimo Carpentiere
Richard Piper
Ruth Johnston
Cindy Salisbury**

**Loretta Wetherbee
Christopher G. Pank
Richard Yergeau
Robert Willette
Anne Adams**

Overseer of Public Welfare
Patti Horne

Traffic Safety Committee

**Shirley Putnam, Chairman
Robert Courage
Joseph Silva
Fred Luongo**

**William B. Rotch
Chief Steven Sexton
Stephen Sears**

Parking Meter Feasibility Study Committee

**Charlotte Cooley
Shirley Carl
Anthony Locicero**

**Antimo Carpentiere
Dr. Richard St. Cyr**

Feasibility of Revaluation of the Town Study Committee

**William Ferguson
Cynthia Zuretti
James Weidman
Tina Gaidmore
Fred Butler**

**Margaret McCormack
Al Brooks
Antoinette Sprague
Ronald Philbrick**

Selectmen's Report for 1984

Town Counsel, Patrick Enright, resigned and a search committee conducted an extensive review for his replacement. Attorney William Drescher was chosen and has done an outstanding job for 1984.

A position of general foreman to aid Mr. Robert Courage was established. Unfortunately the position was filled only for a short time.

The police holding cell doors were replaced to allow full view of the cell area to allow timely intervention in the event of a suicide attempt.

Selectman Walter Putnam resigned and was appointed to serve until Town Meeting.

Selectmen Ernest Barrett and Bart Prestipino chose not to run again. From a large field of candidates the Town voted in May Gaffney (1 year), Avery Johnson (3 years) and Bill English (2 years). Incumbent Rosario Ricciardi was re-elected (3 years) and became Chairman.

Adjusted Elderly Exemption was adopted by Town Meeting. Among other things, the value of the elderly person's home is no longer included in the eligibility requirements.

The Band Concert Committee recommended a Fourth of July celebration including the New Hampshire Symphony and fireworks. The cost would be high and the Town rejected the idea.

Ownership of land in the Hilton Homes area was finally resolved when the unrecorded deeds were found in the Town Vault.

Lee Mayhew, appointed Administrative Assistant in July, has been a tremendous help in the day-to-day operation of the Town.

Building permits are to be posted for five working days prior to approval to allow citizen input.

In April, the Selectmen resolved the status of the many zoning protest petitions.

Town employees were issued uniforms.

The UNICEF issue was resolved with the cost to the Town for legal fees being in the amount of \$850.00

Robert Courage was appointed to oversee the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

The owners of Leisure Village Trailer Park agreed to a compromise on elderly residences there.

The office of Building Inspector and Planning Board moved upstairs to the old "Banquet Hall" for more room.

The 1940 Tax Maps were copied and retouched and reduced.

Milford received a writ of summons in regards to the October 28, 1983 suicide in the police cell. The suit is in the amount of \$300,000.00.

For several months the Selectmen attempted to resolve a noise problem at night on Perkins Street. A new 1984 Zoning Ordinance prohibited "excessive noise" but without any further definitions. The Board struggled to resolve the problem. Finally a compromise was attained by moving the activity to a daytime hour.

The police set up a sting operation using a Selectman's front money to apprehend an alleged prostitute.

In July the railroad crossing on Nashua Street was replaced.

Flags on the graves at Riverside Cemetery became an issue. A permanent memorial plot at the entrance stands to honor all veterans and

therefore individual flags would be left on graves for one week only. Flags are available at the Selectmen's Office.

An underground gas tank at the Gulf Station on Elm Street leaked and polluted the Souhegan River with approximately 300 gallons of fuel.

"No through truck" traffic was discussed but it was decided to encourage use of the By-pass by improving the traffic signs.

Handicapped parking was established in front of the Town Hall.

A major water line break in front of the Catholic Church drained our Mayflower tank. Extraordinary efforts of the Water Department resolved the problem.

Northeast Hydrodevelopment Co. expressed interest in the dam below the swinging bridge to generate electricity. This is an on-going issue.

A committee to suggest a course of action regarding parking meters was appointed.

During the last few months of 1984, traffic on Amherst Street was reviewed and minimal measures were instituted.

A fire alarm system was installed at the Town Hall.

The residents of the Town and Country Mobile Home Park in East Milford received word that the park would be sold and condominiums would be built there.

The Keyes Well was found to be contaminated at a very low level but had to be shut down.

Selectmen and Planning Board members struggled with the building boom that threatens to exacerbate all problems.

Carl Holland donated the Agricultural Land Development rights of his farm on Osgood Road to the Town. Everyone appreciates his generosity.

Town employees were granted an eleventh paid holiday - the day after Thanksgiving.

In closing, the Board of Selectmen wish to thank all the citizens who devoted time to committees and boards.

TOWN MEETING 1985

WARRANT

The polls will be open from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Milford in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Milford High School Auditorium in said Milford on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next at two of the clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$544,000.00 for the purpose of designing and constructing sludge composting facilities as an addition to the Town sewerage and sewage treatment facilities which are requirements contained in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. paragraph 1251 et seq.) and will qualify the Town for Federal funds, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$160,000.00 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H.R.S.A. 33.1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Milford, N.H., and to allow the Selectmen to expend such monies as become available from the Federal Government under Financial Assistance Program of the Construction Grants section of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. para. 1251 et seq.) and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$950,000.00 for the development, design, construction and equipment necessary to undertake to operate a proposed addition to the existing Town library facility. Said sum to be raised by the issuance of either bonds or serial notes in compliance with applicable state law and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the date and place of payments of such bonds or notes, and to determine the rate of interest thereon as they determine to be in the best interest of the Town. To the extent that the Selectmen and/or Library Trustees are capable and deem it appropriate, they may raise such portions of said sum by application for appropriate Federal, State or private funds that may be available, and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 4

BALLOT VOTE NO. 1

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

To provide for the separation of industrial and residential land use in Town, as recommended in the Master Plan, to preserve Industrial zones for primarily non-residential uses and to establish the Residence B zone for primarily multi-family residential development by:

1. Amending Article II of the zoning ordinance by deleting that paragraph entitled "Residence B District" and replacing it with the following:
"Residence B. District
Residence B District is intended primarily for multi-family residential uses and accessory buildings related thereto. All yard requirements of the Residence A District shall also apply in the Residence B District. Multi-family dwellings shall be served by municipal water

supply and municipal sewerage systems. Two off-street parking spaces shall be provided for each dwelling unit. Usable open space shall also be provided in an amount equal to not less than thirty percent (30%) of the total lot area."

2. Amending Article II, Section B-1 and B-2, relating to uses allowed in the Residence B District, by deleting Sections B-1 and B-2 in their entirety, and replacing them with the following:

"B-1. Acceptable uses within the Residence B District by special exception, and with approval of the Planning Board and the Board of Adjustment, where such uses will not be detrimental to existing property.

- a. Hospital and/or related facilities
- b. Schools
- c. Funeral Homes
- d. Single-family and two-family dwellings

- B-2. Uses specifically excluded.

- a. Mobile Homes
- b. Dumps
- c. Junk yards

3. Amending Article II, Sections I-1, I-2, and I-3, pertaining to the Industrial District, by deleting said sections in their entirety and replacing them with the following:

"Industrial District

- I-1 The following uses shall be permitted in this District:

- a. Harvesting and/or processing of natural resources
- b. Light industrial and manufacturing

- I-2 Yard Requirements

Buildings may not occupy more than thirty percent (30%) of the total lot area. Minimum setback shall be as outlined in A-1.

- I-3 Acceptable uses by special exception, and with approval of the Planning Board and Board of Adjustment, where such use will not be detrimental to existing property.

- a. Uses permitted in the Commercial-Business District and the Residence R District, excepting residential uses.

- I-4 Uses specifically excluded from this District.

- a. Residential dwellings
- b. Animal reduction, tannery and related facilities
- c. Fertilizer manufacture
- d. Smelting of ore or petroleum refinery

BALLOT VOTE NO. 2

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

"To establish an Aquifer Protection District, as recommended by the Master Plan, to regulate the use of land over the Town's major aquifers and to protect the present and future water supply of the Town of Milford.

Aquifer Protection District

- A. Purpose: The Aquifer Protection District is created to:

1. Promote the health, safety and general welfare of the community;
2. Protect, preserve and maintain the existing and potential ground-water supply and groundwater recharge areas within the Town;
3. Preserve and protect present and potential sources of water supply for the public health and safety;
4. Conserve the natural resources of the Town;
5. Prevent pollution of the environment.

B. Definitions: For the purpose of this Aquifer Protection District ordinance, the following words and phrases as used herein shall have the following meaning:

Animal Feedlot: Land on which livestock is kept for the purpose of feeding.

Aquifer: Geological formation composed of rock or sand and/or gravel that contains significant amounts of potentially recoverable potable water.

Groundwater: Slowly moving subsurface water present in aquifers and recharge areas.

Groundwater Recharge Areas: Areas composed of permeable stratified sand and/or gravel and certain wetlands which collect precipitation surface water and carry it to aquifers.

Hazardous or Toxic Materials or Liquids: Materials or liquids that pose a threat present or future to the environment, whether in use, storage, or transit, including without exception hazardous waste identified and listed in accordance with Section 3001 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976.

Leachable Wastes: Waste materials including solid wastes, sewage, sludge, and agricultural wastes that are capable of releasing waterborne contaminants to the surrounding environment.

Mining of Land: The removal or relocation of geological materials such as topsoil, sand, gravel, metallic ores or bedrock.

Solid Wastes: Useless, unwanted, or discarded solid material with insufficient liquid content to be free flowing including, but not limited to rubbish, garbage, scrap materials, junk refuse, inert fill material and landscape refuse.

C. Location and Scope of Authority

1. Location: The Aquifer Protection District includes all land areas identified as having a moderate to high potential to yield significant amounts of water supply. Such areas are designated by blue shading or crosshatching on the map entitled "Availability of Groundwater in the Lower Merrimack River Basin, Southern New Hampshire; John E. Cotton, 1977", prepared by the U.S. Geological Survey; and as such may be revised or updated for use as referenced in RSA 155-E: 4. VI.

2. Aquifer Protection District Boundaries: For the purpose of this ordinance areas included within the Aquifer Protection District and the District boundaries shall be as depicted on the map entitled "Aquifer Protection District, Milford, NH", a copy of which is on file in the Planning Board Office at Town Hall.

3. Scope of Authority: The Aquifer Protection District is a zoning overlay district which imposes additional requirements and restrictions to those of the underlying base zone. Uses not permitted in the base zone shall not be permitted in this district. In cases of conflict between the requirements of this district and the requirements presented elsewhere in this ordinance, the more restrictive provision shall apply.

D. Permitted Uses: The following uses shall be permitted in this district:

1. Industrial or commercial uses (in the appropriate Industrial or Commercial District) which discharge no wastes on site. The temporary storage of hazardous waste other than for treatment is per-

mitted only when it is used, manufactured or generated as a waste as part of an industrial, manufacturing or laboratory process that takes place within the Town of Milford, and in such event the same shall be inventoried and stored inside a building with an impermeable floor and otherwise handled in strict conformance with all applicable Federal and State regulations governing the same. The records pertaining to such inventory and storage shall be open to the Board of Selectmen and/or the Milford Fire Department upon reasonable request.

2. Residential Development, at densities permitted in the underlying district.
3. Activities designed for conservation of soil, water, plants, and wildlife.
4. Outdoor recreation, nature study, boating, fishing, and hunting where otherwise legally permitted.
5. Normal operation and maintenance of existing water bodies, wells, and dams, splash boards, wiers, and other water control, supply and conservation devices.
6. Foot, bicycle, and/or horse paths and bridges.
7. Maintenance and repair of any existing structure.
8. Farming, gardening, nursery, forestry, harvesting and grazing provided that fertilizers, herbicides, pesticides, manure, and other leachables are used appropriately and not stored outdoors.

E. Prohibited Uses: The following uses shall not be permitted in the Aquifer Protection District:

1. Disposal of solid waste
2. Subsurface storage of petroleum and other refined petroleum products except with suitable secondary barriers and automatic alarm systems.
3. Disposal of liquid or leachable wastes, except from one- or two-family residential subsurface disposal systems, or approved commercial or industrial systems which discharge human wastes only.
4. Discharge of contact type process waters on site. Non-contact cooling water is permitted.
5. Outside unenclosed storage of road salt.
6. Dumping of snow containing deicing chemicals brought from outside the district.
7. Commercial animal feedlots.
8. Mining of land except incidental to a permitted use.
9. Excavation of sand or gravel, except those conducted in accordance with an approved excavation permit issued pursuant to this ordinance.
10. On site disposal or processing for recycling of hazardous or toxic materials or liquids.
11. Automotive service and repair shops, junk and salvage yards.
12. Bulk storage of toxic material for resale or distribution.
13. Underground disposal of brush and/or stumps.

F. Administration: All subdivision proposals and other proposed new developments within the Aquifer Protection District shall be reviewed by the Planning Board which may require as a condition of approval such performance by the applicant necessary to insure that the proposal shall conform to the provisions of this ordinance and the Subdivision Regulations of the Town of Milford and the following criteria:

1. All such proposals are consistent with the need to protect the groundwater of the Town of Milford and adjacent communities.
 2. All sanitary sewer systems are designed to minimize or eliminate leakage or discharges from the system into the groundwater.
 3. On site waste disposal systems are located so as to avoid groundwater contamination.
 4. Streets, roads, and parking areas are constructed so that minimum direct application of road salt only is required for winter safety, and so that runoff from such uses is channeled to avoid or minimize groundwater contamination.
 5. Written approval of the State of New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission has been obtained.
- G. Conservation Commission Review: The Conservation Commission shall review within thirty days each plan for development in the Aquifer Protection District and shall make a recommendation to the Planning Board to approve, approve with conditions and/or recommendations, or disapprove the plan, with reasons for disapproval. In the event that no such recommendation is received from the Conservation Commission within the time specified, the Planning Board shall conclude that the Commission does not disapprove of the use or development as proposed.
- H. Incorrectly Designated Zones: When the actual boundary of the Aquifer Protection District is in dispute by any owner or abutter actually affected by said boundary, the Planning Board, at the owner/abutter's expense and request, may engage a professional geologist or hydrologist to determine more accurately the precise boundary of said Aquifer Protection District, who shall submit to the Planning Board his findings, including:
1. A detailed topographic layout of the subdivision and/or area to be developed, prepared by a registered land surveyor.
 2. A revised soils map of the subdivision and/or area prepared by a soils scientist qualified in hydrologic studies including a written report of his on-site field inspection, test boring, and other data.
 3. The aquifer boundary as shown on the U.S. Geological Survey Map shall be overlaid on the plat and the newly proposed boundary location shall be indicated on the same plat by a broken line.
- The Planning Board shall adjust the boundary or area designation, as appropriate, based thereon.
- The Planning Board shall reserve the right to withhold action on such plat pending the results of an on-site and/or other investigation by that Board or its appointed agent and shall act to approve or disapprove the final plat within 90 days of submission or such further time as deemed necessary, but not to exceed an additional 90 days.
- I. Enforcement: The Town of Milford Selectmen, or their agent, shall be responsible for enforcement of this ordinance and shall issue permits for construction in the Aquifer Protection District only after specific approval for the construction has been granted by the Planning Board. The Selectmen shall authorize their agent to issue cease and desist orders whenever they become aware of violations of this ordinance.
1. Non Conforming Uses: Non conforming uses may continue in this district in the form in which they exist at the time of the adoption of this ordinance and as provided in the zoning ordinance, unless they present a direct hazard to the aquifer or are actually causing some foreign substances (oils, salts, chemicals, etc.) to be introduced into the

aquifer. In the latter case, the Selectmen, or their agent, shall issue an immediate cease and desist order to stop the offending activity or process from continuing in this district.

BALLOT VOTE NO. 3

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:
To add to the zoning ordinance the term and definition of "Abutter" and to amend the definition of "Parking Space".

1. Add the following wording to define "Abutter":

Abutter: Any person whose property adjoins or is directly across the street or stream from the land under consideration. For the purposes of receiving testimony only, and not for purposes of notification, the term abutter shall include any person who is able to demonstrate that his/her land will be directly affected by the proposal under consideration.

2. Delete the existing wording defining "Parking Space" and replace it with the following:

Parking Space: An off-street space sufficient in size to accommodate the parking of one motor vehicle exclusive of the area necessary for internal access driveways and passageways on any site. The Planning Board shall develop such standards and requirements regulating the size and arrangement of parking spaces as it may deem necessary and appropriate.

BALLOT VOTE NO. 4

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article II, Cluster Open Space Development, General Regulations by deleting Paragraph C-6 in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:

At least fifty (50) percent of the Gross Tract Area shall be set aside as common open space for the use and enjoyment of the residents of the development and shall permanently be restricted for open space recreational and conservation uses by means of a document in form satisfactory to Counsel for the Town of Milford or the Planning Board.

BALLOT VOTE NO. 5

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 5 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article II, Para. 2-I(a) by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:
2-I(a) All two family residences not serviced by both municipal sewerage and municipal water systems shall have lots not less in area than 60,000 sq.ft. or greater, based on the recommendations of the Hillsborough County Soil Conservation Service and/or the Planning Board, with 225 feet of frontage on a principal route of access.

BALLOT VOTE NO. 6

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 6 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article IV, Para. 4-2 by adding the following to said Paragraph 4-2
 - e. A driveway entrance permit is required from the Milford Department of Public Works for any new construction or alteration of any existing driveway, entrance, exit or approach within the limits of the right-of-way of any Town road.

BALLOT VOTE NO. 7

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 7 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article II, Commercial-Business District by deleting those sections entitled C-1, C-2 and C-3 and replacing them with the following:
 - C-1 The following uses shall be permitted in this District:
 - a. Retail and wholesale businesses.
 - b. Restaurants.
 - c. Filling stations, garages and parking lots.
 - d. Professional offices and banks.
 - e. Hospitals and/or medical facilities licensed by the State of New Hampshire.
 - f. Schools, colleges, business or trade schools.
 - g. Hotels, motels and inns.
 - h. Churches.
 - i. Theaters, bowling establishments.
 - j. Laundries and dry cleaning.
 - k. Newspaper and job printing.
 - l. Funeral Homes.
 - m. The uses set forth in Residence A and Residence B Districts.
 - n. Elderly housing where only one (1) parking space per dwelling unit will be required.
 - C-2 Yard Requirements
The same as set forth in Residence A District.
Except the area bounded by the Souhegan River to the north, Great Brook to the west, to the southwest corner of Lot #39 on Map #25 to a line running east to High Street which is to the south, to Franklin Street to the east, to Pine Street also to the east, back to the Souhegan River at the Swinging Bridge will be excluded from this yard (set-back) requirement.
 - C-3 Uses specifically excluded from this District.
 - a. Dumps.
 - b. Junk yards.
 - c. Mobilehomes (manufactured housing).

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 8

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 8 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

To delete the second sentence of Article II, Paragraph 2-2, as amended in 1982, and insert the following:

New apartment and multi-family dwellings served by both municipal water and sewerage systems shall have a maximum of eight (8) dwelling units per acre, provided that in no event more than seventy (70) percent of the total lot area be covered by the structures, travelways, parking areas and impermeable surface coverings. The maximum residential density of eight (8) dwelling units per acre may be reduced, based on the recommendations of the Hillsborough County Soil Conservation Service and/or the Planning Board.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 9

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment Number 9 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

To enable the Planning Board to achieve compliance between local ordinance and state enabling legislation, due to recent restructuring of the State Legislature regarding planning and land use regulations by:

1. Amending the first paragraph of the ordinance - Purpose and Authority by deleting the existing working and replacing it with the following:
Purpose and Authority

The regulations set down in this ordinance are for the purpose of promoting the public health, safety, morals, general welfare and civil rights of the inhabitants of the Town of Milford as provided by Title 64 of the N.H. Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapters 672-677 inclusive, and as such may be from time to time amended.

2. Authorizing the Planning Board to make such textual revisions as may be necessary and appropriate to correctly re-state statutory citations throughout the remainder of the ordinance so as to achieve consistency with the Purpose and Authority, provided that such changes result in no contradictions within the ordinance or with State law, and further provided that no substantive change shall occur as a result of any such correction.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 10

Are you in favor of Amendment Number 10 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

To amend Article VI of the zoning ordinance by adding the following section 6-2:

"6-2 The Planning Board has the authority to assign such section numbers to the zoning ordinance as it may deem appropriate provided that no substantive change to the ordinance shall occur as a result of this renumbering."

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 11

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment Number II as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article II, Cluster Open Space Development, General Regulations by deleting Paragraph C-2 in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:

2. The maximum number of approved lots permitted in any Cluster Open Space Development shall be determined by dividing the net tract area by the maximum lot size of the zoning district in which the development is located. The net tract area of the parcel of land shall be defined as the total area of the parcel less all

non-buildable land including all areas within the flood plain and all wetlands as defined by the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 12

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 12 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

1. Amend Article II, Wetland Conservation District, Section C-2 Special Provisions (b) by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:
 - b. Wetland areas, excluding bodies of water, may be used to satisfy minimum lot area and setback requirements, provided that the remaining lot area is sufficient in size and configuration to adequately accommodate all required utilities such as sewage disposal and water supply; for on-site septic tank and leach fields this shall include both a primary and secondary leach field location.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 13

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 13 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

Amend Article II, to include the following under Wetland Conservation District, Section C, Use Regulations, 2 - Special Provisions

- c. No construction or ground disturbance shall occur within twenty-five (25) feet or greater, based on recommendation of the Hillsborough County Soil Conservation Service, of the wetland areas designated below as primary, or those wetland areas identified and delineated as poorly drained or very poorly drained soils on the Town of Milford Wetland Conservation District Map. This twenty-five (25) foot buffer zone shall be parallel to and surveyed from the edge of wetland on a horizontal plane; that for the purposes of protection, the buffer zones shall be subject to the same regulations that apply to the filling of wetlands. The primary wetland areas shall be defined as follows:

1. The Souhegan River
2. Great Brook
3. Tucker Brook
4. Osgood Pond
5. Railroad Pond
6. Hartshorn Pond
7. Birch Brook
8. Purgatory Brook
9. Ox Brook
10. Compressor Brook

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 14

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 14 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:

Amend the existing Zoning Ordinance as it pertains to the use of Private Ways as a permitted form of access to subdivided parcels of land by amending

the Ordinance as follows:

1. Add the following definition of "Principal Route of Access" (Section 1-6) to the Zoning Ordinance:
Principal Route of Access: A principal route of access within the meaning of this Ordinance shall be deemed to consist of any public way which the Town has a duty to maintain.
2. Add the following definition to the definitional section (Section 1-6) of the Zoning Ordinance
Private Way - A street, driveway or highway which the Town has no duty to maintain which provides access to no more than two (2) building lots but not including any Class VI highway as defined by N.H.R.S.A.
3. Amend Article II, Para 2-4 by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting the following:
2-4 Each lot shall have the minimum frontage required by this Ordinance that pertains to the district wherein the lot is located, on the principal route of access to the lot, unless said access to such lots is by means of a private way within the meaning of this Ordinance in which event fifty (50) feet of frontage on a public road shall be sufficient.
(a) A private way may constitute physical access to no more than two (2) lots, when said lots are to be used for single family dwellings on each, and the frontage requirements that pertain to such lots are modified as set forth herein provided that the construction, placement and maintenance has been provided for in a fashion consistent with the requirements of the Planning Board.
4. Amend Article IV, Administration by adding the following sections under Para. 4-2 - Permits
 - f. Any subdivision approved subsequent to March 1985 which requires road system layout and construction, other than those containing private ways, must have the road system deeded to the Town and accepted by the Selectmen, prior to the issuance of any building permit for any structure whose lot frontage would include any part of such proposed road system.
 - g. No building permit shall be issued for any structure or any lot within any subdivision approved subsequent to March 1, 1985 which includes any streets, driveways or highways which constitute a private way within the meaning of this Ordinance unless such private ways shall have been constructed in a fashion consistent with the requirements of the Town of Milford subdivision regulations as adopted from time to time by the Town of Milford Planning Board dealing with construction requirements and specifications for private ways as well as providing for any and all documentation required by the Planning Board to assure the continued maintenance and ownership of the same.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 15

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 15 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:
Amend Article I, Paragraph 1-6 Definition - Structure/Addition by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting the following:

Structure - That which is built or constructed to support or shelter any use or occupancy.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 16

Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment Number 16 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town of Milford zoning ordinance as follows:
To amend Article II by inserting the following:

- 2.6 For the purpose of this Ordinance, the Town of Milford is hereby divided into districts located and bounded as shown on a map entitled "Official Zoning Map, Town of Milford, New Hampshire", copies of which are on file and may be obtained in the Town Offices. The Official Zoning Map, with all accompanying explanatory material, is hereby made a part of this Ordinance and may be reissued by the Planning Board to incorporate such amendments as may be made by the Town Meeting. This Official Zoning Map shall be the final authority as to the current zoning status of land in the Town.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 17

Capital Improvements Plan: Are you in favor of authorizing the Planning Board to prepare a capital improvements program, pursuant to RSA 674:5-8, to include current and future capital improvement projects over a period of at least 6 years. The purpose and effect of the capital improvement program shall be to aid the Selectmen and the Budget Committee in their consideration of the annual budget. In preparing the program the Planning Board shall confer with the Selectmen, Budget Committee, School Board, and other municipal officials and department heads as appropriate, and shall review the recommendations of the master plan.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 18

We, the undersigned, being residents and voters of the Town of Milford, petition that the zoning ordinance of the Town of Milford be amended by an article to be inserted in the warrant for the 1985 Town Meeting, pursuant to N.H. RSA 675:4, as follows:

"Are you in favor of Amendment to the Town Zoning Ordinance as proposed by the petition of the voters of this Town as follows:

Change Map 5 Lot 155-3 and Lot 155-2 from a classification of Residence R in part and Industrial in part to a classification of 'Industrial'; change so much of Map 5, Lot 162 (also referred to as Lot 155-5) as is currently classified Residential R to a classification of Industrial; and change that portion of Map 5, Lot 155 which is westerly of a line between the southeasterly corner of the aforesaid Lot 155-2 and the northeasterly corner of the aforesaid Lot 162, from a classification of Residence R in part and Industrial in part to a classification of Industrial". (By Petition).

The Milford Planning Board recommends approval of this amendment.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 19

We the undersigned, hereby submit a petition to amend the Zoning Ordinance and Map of the Town of Milford, N.H. to see if the Town will vote to rezone from Industrial to Residence A all the land that falls within the following described boundaries. Starting at the point where the Town Line

between Milford and Brookline meet on Route 13 and going North along the east side of Route 13 to the northern property line of the Lot Numbered 5/169-4 on the Milford Tax Map, going east along such property line to Colburn Road turning South and running along the west side of Colburn Road to Foster Road and turning west to the Milford-Brookline Town Line and following the Town Line to the starting point at Route 13. (By Petition)

The Milford Planning Board recommends disapproval of this amendment.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 20

The undersigned voters of the Town of Milford, New Hampshire, hereby submit the following Amendment to the Town of Milford Zoning Ordinance:
To see if theTown will vote to amend theTown of Milford Zoning Ordinance under Article II "Industrial" District, Paragraph I-3 by adding the following to said paragraph:

- "d. multi-family dwellings.
 - e. cluster open space development."
- so that said uses will be specifically excluded from the district.(By Petition)

The Milford Planning Board recommends disapproval of this amendment.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 21

NOW COME the undersigned, all legal VOTERS of the Town of Milford, and, pursuant to the authority set forth in NHRSA 675:4 do hereby petition the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Milford to place the following article on the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting to be held in 1985:

To see whether the Town will vote to change the classification of the Zoning District described below currently zoned Residence "B" so that it is changed to Residence "A". The district to which this change from Residence "B" to Residence "A" shall apply is described as follows:

"The area in the Town of Milford currently zoned as Residence "B" which has as its southeast corner the intersection of the Souhegan River and the Amherst town line and which continues north and west by the Amherst town line to North Street; South on North Street to Amherst Street; West on Amherst Street to the intersection of Grove Street and Amherst Street; South by the East line of Souhegan Street to the South line of Lot #83 on Milford Tax Map #26, dated 1 April 1984 Southwesterly by the South line of said Lot #83 to the Souhegan River; Southeasterly down the Souhegan River to the point of beginning."(By Petition).

The Milford Planning Board recommends disapproval of this amendment.

BALLOT VOTE NUMBER 22

NOW COME the undersigned, all legal VOTERS of the Town of Milford, and, pursuant to the authority set forth at NHRSA 675:4 do hereby petition the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Milford to place the following article on the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting to be held in 1985:

To see whether the Town will vote to change the classification of the Zoning District described below currently zoned Residence "A" so that it is changed to Commercial. The district to which this change from Residence "A" to Commercial shall apply is described as follows:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of Lot 30-1 as shown on the Town of Milford Tax Map #31, at the intersection of Nashua Street and Linden Street; thence

1. Northerly by the East line of Linden Street one hundred and nineteen feet (119) to the Northwest corner of Lot 30-1 and the Southwest corner of Lot 30-2 as shown on said plan; thence
 2. Turning to the right and proceeding Southeasterly along the North line of Lot 30-1 and extending Easterly on a course which is a distance of one hundred and nineteen feet (119) North of the North line of Nashua Street to the East line of Lot 32-1 as shown on said plan; thence,
 3. Southerly by the East line of Lot 32-1 to the North line of Nashua Street;
 4. Westerly by the North line of Nashua Street to the point of beginning.
- (By Petition).

The Milford Planning Board recommends disapproval of this amendment.

ARTICLE 5

To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for same.

ARTICLE 6

To act upon the reports of all Town Officers, Agents and Committees and raise and appropriate money relative thereto.

ARTICLE 7

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, if necessary, as provided by the Law of 1907.

ARTICLE 8

Shall the provisions of Chapter 287 of the Revised Statutes Annotated relative to playing games of Beano be adopted in the Town (Vote by Ballot).

ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will vote to authorize withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the Provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, as amended in 1976, by the second session of the 94th Congress for use as set-offs against budget appropriations in the amount indicated; and further to authorize the Selectmen to make pro-rate reductions in the amounts if estimated entitlements are reduced or take any other action thereon:

Audit	\$400.00
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ARTICLE 10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$927.00 for Milford's share of the Nashua Regional Planning Commission's continued special assessment of groundwater protection for an additional two years, or take any other action thereon.

ARTICLE 11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3777.00 for its share of the Nashua Regional Solid Waste Management Plan District budget for 1985 for administrative and engineering consultation, or take any other action thereon.

ARTICLE 12

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into a lease with the Ricciardi Hartshorn Post #23 American Legion relative to the old school house building situated in Trentini Park on such terms and conditions as the Selectmen deem appropriate or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 13

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute the necessary documents to provide in consideration of \$500.00 to New England Tel and Tel a 20 foot by 20 foot easement adjacent to the Transfer Station as proposed by New England Tel and Tel, or take action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 14

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the amount of \$2,500.00 for the annual rental of the White Parking Lot and authorize the Board of Selectmen to use said lot as parking space for Town Hall employees, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 15

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,719.00 to purchase a new 1985 Ford LTD Victoria Police Cruiser. And authorize the Selectmen to dispose of, by public bid, the 1982 Plymouth cruiser. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 16

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,500.00 for the purpose of washing and painting the interior walls of the Milford Fire Station, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 31

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application for, accept and expend on behalf of the Town, any and all grants, aids, or other funds for Town purposes which may now, or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire or from any other source, and to apply said monies to any lawful use, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 32

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the purpose of having the State of New Hampshire Department of Public Works and Highways begin a preliminary design for a Federal Aid Urban Highway System Project to improve the intersection of West Street and Elm Street, install traffic signals, a pavement overlay of the area and other associated construction, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 33

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$54,069.00 to purchase a new 1985 Ford Model L-8000 Dump Truck to include snow plowing equipment and a V box Material Spreader, this to replace the 1976 Ford Dump Truck and spreader, and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$52,069.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to apply to this appropriation, and the balance to be provided from Town funds, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 34

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$28,850.00 to replace the 1968 Bombadier Sidewalk Snow Plow with a new 1985 four wheel drive sidewalk tractor with snow plows and rotary mower, and further to authorize the withdrawal of \$9,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to apply to this appropriation, and the balance to be provided from Town funds, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 35

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$334,278.00 to operate and maintain the Water Department. This amount includes \$15,000.00 for the replacement of the 1977 Chevrolet Service Utility Truck with a new 3/4 ton four wheel drive truck equipped with snow plow. Said appropriation to be offset by income from the Water Users of an equal amount, or take any other actions relative thereto.

ARTICLE 36

We, the undersigned, request that the following Article be placed on the Town Warrant for consideration by the voters at the Annual Town Meeting for Milford, New Hampshire.

To see if the Town will vote to reclassify Mile Slip Road

from a Class VI highway to a Class V highway, and to direct the Department of Public Works to maintain Mile Slip Road by providing plowing services, sanding and general upkeep, as required. (By Petition).

ARTICLE 37

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the support of the Milford Historical Society in continuing the development and maintenance of their home, the purpose of which is to ensure the preservation of Milford's antiquities and share them with students and townspeople, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 38

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Conservation Commission to continue its work, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 39

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,411.00 to participate in the Nashua Regional Planning Commission, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 40

We, the undersigned, being registered voters of the Town of Milford, do hereby request the following be placed on the 1985 Milford Town Warrant: To see if the town will vote to raise \$4,000.00 to construct a sidewalk within the right-of-way of Union Street adjacent to the existing pavement without curb on the easterly side of said road. This construction to be approximately 100 feet on either side of the crest of the hill, known as Curtis Hill. (By Petition).

ARTICLE 41

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,200.00 for contribution to St. Joseph Community Services, Inc., in order for them to continue the meals program to the older persons of Milford, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 42

To see if the Town will vote to create a fund in accordance with N.H. RSA 36-A:5 and raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 as the initial contribution to said fund. Said fund together with any future additions to the same to be allowed to accumulate from year to year and be available for the acquisition of property for conservation purposes as the Town may direct in accordance with the provisions of N.H. RSA 36-A, or take any further action relative thereto. /

ARTICLE 43

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to assist the Veterans of Foreign Wars and private Milford business contributors in helping to underwrite the ever-increasing costs of the annual Labor Day Parade and thus ensure its continuance for the enjoyment of the children and citizens of Milford and our visitors, or take any further action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 44

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute and enter into, on behalf of the Town of Milford, the Intermunicipal Agreement for the Provision of Communications which has been conditionally approved by the Selectmen pending ratification by the Town Meeting, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 45

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing a new "Jaws of Life" for use by the Milford Fire Department. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$481,348.00 to operate and maintain the Wastewater Treatment Plant. Said appropriation to be offset by income received from a sewer users charge, or take any other action relative thereto.

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 as a one-time capital expense for the purchase of two high-speed modems to provide access to the State Library in Concord to facilitate inter-library loans and access to library materials and to provide Milford's share of the cost of a telephone multiplexor, or take any other action relative thereto.

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To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the painting of the exterior trim of the library building, including all railings and staircases, or take any other action relative thereto.

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ARTICLE 58

To see if the Town will vote to establish the position of Animal Control Officer who shall serve at the direction of the Chief of Police, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 to defray the cost of same, or take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 59

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to fund the efforts of such committee or committees as the Board of Selectmen deem appropriate to conduct a feasibility study relative to the space and housing requirements of the Milford Police Department and the Milford Public Works Department needs, to present a report to the Board of Selectmen not later than December 1st, 1985. Said monies to be expended only subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen. Or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 60

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$36,000.00 to purchase a rubber tire combination front end loader/backhoe, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 61

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$95,000.00 said sum to be placed in a capital reserve fund, in accordance with N.H. RSA 35:1 (V), to defray the costs of extraordinary legal expenses related to present or foreseeable litigation arising out of Town of Milford Capital Project sewer construction already completed, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 62

To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the use of Parking Meters in Town and to authorize the removal of same, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 63

To see if the Town, in the event the preceeding Warrant Article failed, will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for standardizing of all parking meters to two hour parking, except the ten hour meters on Middle Street by the Cabinet Press. Said cost includes new parking meter heads and related miscellaneous costs.

ARTICLE 64

To see if the Town will vote to repeal the current "Sunday Ordinance" which became effective March 8, 1932, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 65

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to expend the balance of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Capital Equipment Replacement Fund in the amount of \$11,086.00, and to withdraw and expend from the Sewer Users Fund Cash Balance the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purpose of replacing the three variable speed magnetic drives on the raw sewer pumps, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 66

To transact any other business that may legally come before the Meeting.

BUDGET - TOWN OF MILFORD

APPROPRIATIONS AND ESTIMATES OF REVENUE FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

January 1st, 1985 to December 31st 1985

Compared with

Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year (Unaudited)

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers Salaries	31,100	29,726.76	33,000
Town Office Expense	90,411	90,931.43	110,538
Election and Registration	3,824	4,099.15	2,826
District Court	1,300	1,300.00	0
Town Buildings	55,438	55,636.58	56,850
Assessor/Building Inspector	24,285	25,303.29	50,738
Audit, Accounting Services	6,300	6,610.00	6,400
Public Works Administration	54,116	54,506.98	54,345

PROTECTION OF PERSONS/PROPERTY

Police Department	322,651	317,416.98	363,063
Fire Department	65,405	69,399.43	85,226
Planning and Zoning	4,036	6,987.68	21,977
Property and Liability Insurance	29,881	28,556.40	31,683
Workmen's Compensation	41,377	49,991.70	39,673
Unemployment Insurance	5,000	3,878.84	5,000
Civil Defense	2,360	2,343.12	2,360
Police Pension	38,712	32,738.69	40,382
Board of Adjustment	3,082	2,887.89	3,600
Tax Map	1,000	1,000.00	0

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriation Previous Fiscal year	Actual Expenditure Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriation Ensuing Fiscal Year 1985
<u>HEALTH DEPARTMENT</u>			
Health Department	5,420	5,600.00	5,700
Vital Statistics	250	167.00	250
Transfer Station	192,461	237,344.14	423,370
Ambulance Service	25,125	25,795.53	29,960
Sewer Maintenance	32,293	33,179.40	30,800
Sewer Construction	5,000	1,658.58	5,000
<u>HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES</u>			
Street Lighting	50,648	47,481.27	46,000
Highway Department - Oiling	32,272	32,198.07	31,700
Highway Department - Winter Maintenance	140,023	162,329.00	155,000
Highway Department - Summer Maintenance	60,493	60,267.90	58,804
<u>LIBRARY</u>			
Library	75,508	75,508.00	81,986
<u>PUBLIC WELFARE</u>			
Public Welfare	26,000	14,414.43	26,000
Old Age Assistance	15,000	22,761.98	18,000
<u>PATRIOTIC PURPOSES</u>			
Memorial Day	1,700	1,419.02	1,700
<u>RECREATION</u>			
Parks and Playgrounds	51,247	48,972.11	48,450
Band Concerts	3,600	3,232.28	3,600

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS

	Appropriation Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expenditure Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriation Ensuing Fiscal Year 1985
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PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Dept. - Hydrant Rental	27,100	27,100.00	29,300
Wilton Water Works	600	600.00	900
Cemeteries	49,585	49,105.37	51,900
Communications Center	80,752	83,533.94	110,686

UNCLASSIFIED

Damages and Legal	35,000	41,506.50	35,000
Employees Retirement	4,652	4,090.77	5,040
Employees Social Security	38,283	37,825.41	43,325
Trustees of Trust Funds	1,800	1,750.00	1,800
Group Health Insurance	88,083	82,607.33	73,305

DEBT SERVICE

Principal - Long Term Notes	293,287	293,286.34	301,187
Interest - Long Term Notes	276,073	276,072.25	280,191
Interest and Expense - Temporary Notes	165,600	118,256.26	167,450

CAPITAL OUTLAY

Sidewalk Construction	3,317	3,297.73	3,461
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TOTAL REGULAR BUDGET

	\$2,561,450	\$2,574,675.53	\$2,977,526
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PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS

Appropriation
Ensuing Year
Year 1985

Actual
Expenditure
Previous
Fiscal Year

Appropriation
Previous
Fiscal Year

SPECIAL WARRANT ARTICLES

Swenson Spreader
Air Compressor
Dump Truck with Plow
Snow Blower
New Ambulance
New Police Cruiser
Fire Pumper
Fire Station Electric Doors
Administrative Assistant
Ambulance Transceivers
Labor Day Parade
Library Guttering
Library Asbestos removal
Historical Society
Nashua Regional Planning
Nashua Solid Waste Budget
Water Department - Offset
West Street Sanitary Sewer
Wastewater Treatment Plant - Offset
Cell Block remodelling
Class IV and V Highway block grant
Guard rails, masonry - Oval Bridge
Class IV and V Highways - Capital Reserve
Curtis/Gibbons land purchase
Conservation Commission
Nashua Community Council
St. Joseph - Meals on Wheels
Smoke and Heat Detection system - Town Hall
Souhegan Association for the Handicapped

2,900
9,600
15,783
29,595
30,783
11,198
127,000
6,440
21,055
4,100
2,500
2,000
7,500
2,000
3,610
1,875
262,892
10,000
371,508
7,840
83,702
16,000
10,000
15,000
3,000
5,000
6,950
7,425
1,000

2,900.00
9,600.00
15,782.57
29,595.00
30,783.00
10,923.56
127,000.00
6,205.00
13,199.21
4,100.00
2,500.00
981.40
7,199.00
2,000.00
3,610.00
1,875.00
262,892.00
10,000.00
371,508.00
6,504.90
82,673.73
16,000.00
10,000.00
15,000.00
3,000.00
5,000.00
6,950.00
3,340.00
1,000.00

TOTAL WARRANTS 1984

\$1,078,256

\$1,062,122.37

SOURCES OF REVENUE		Adopted by Department of Revenue 1984	Actual Revenue for 1984	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1985
<u>FROM LOCAL TAXES</u>				
Resident Taxes		56,320	61,590.00	50,000
National Bank Stock		3,789	3,788.87	3,800
Yield Tax		7,000	12,222.65	5,000
Interest - Delinquent Taxes		63,155	62,056.60	55,000
Resident Tax Penalties		1,012	1,263.00	1,100
Boat Taxes		2,137	2,009.00	2,000
Current Land Use		0	38,670.00	0
<u>FROM STATE</u>				
State Revenue Sharing		170,123	489,935.07	489,935
State Refund TRA A and B Fund		43,128.18	43,123.18	27,123
Highway Block Grant		86,702	86,701.73	100,412
Business Profits Tax		66,201	0	0
Water Supply and Pollution		258,447	258,447.00	258,447
Forest		15.25	15.25	15
Railroad Tax		4.63	4.63	5
Ambulance - Public Health Services		900	900.00	0
Reimbursement - Railroad Crossing		0	3,868.00	0
<u>FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES</u>				
Planning Board		3,100	6,770.44	10,000
Auto Permit Fees		347,926	469,050.00	430,000
Dog Licenses		3,021	2,759.15	3,000
Business licenses		1,012	9,135.86	9,000
District Court		0	1,136.50	1,200
Town Office		0	334.30	300
Town Buildings		200	226.54	200
Interest on Deposits		120,000	126,317.36	125,000
Income Cemetery Trust Fund		31,797	32,472.10	32,000
Building Inspection		46,400	61,578.85	65,000
Board of Adjustment		1,168	1,580.35	1,600

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriation Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expenditure Previous Fiscal Year	Appropriation Ensuing Fiscal year 1985
TOTAL REGULAR BUDGET (Totals brought forward)	\$2,561,450	\$2,574,675.53	\$2,977,526
TOTAL WARRANTS FOR 1984 (Totals brought forward)	\$1,078,256	\$1,062,122.37	
TOTAL SPECIAL WARRANTS PROPOSED 1985			\$3,140,407.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$3,639,706	\$3,636,797.90	\$6,117,933.00

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Adopted by Department of Revenue 1984	Actual Revenue for 1984	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1985
Civil Defense	1,389	1,413.28	1,475
Ambulance Department	9,766	12,700.32	19,700
Highway Maintenance - Summer	1,584	1,597.54	1,000
Highway Maintenance - Winter	397	3,126.00	3,250
Traffic Fines	0	513.90	500
Cemeteries - Regular	5,958	6,845.73	5,350
Police Department	16,502	22,080.71	28,000
Public Works Administration	30,440	27,558.00	29,812
Communications Center	37,407	51,433.87	33,530
Transfer Station	104,544	135,726.91	223,700
Parks and Playgrounds	0	389.03	0
Water Department - Other	36,888.76	36,888.76	35,249
Water Department - Operation - Offset	262,892	262,892.00	299,029
Sewer Department Construction	5,000	2,465.43	5,000
Sewer Department - Fees	750	3,145.53	1,500
Wastewater Treatment Plant - Reimbursement	25,902	24,920.23	24,763
- Principal & Interest	5,499.24	5,499.44	5,151
- Operation - Offset	371,508	371,508.00	427,279
Income from Welfare Grants	0	310.00	0
Sale of Town Property	12,531	12,531.60	12,000
Miscellaneous	0	6,536.31	0

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE

Proceeds from Notes and Bonds	0	0	1,560,000
Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	112,783	112,783	0
Federal Revenue Sharing	92,016	85,349.01	86,600
Gifts and Donations	11,000	11,000.00	11,000
Surplus Applied	159,940	0	0
Surplus 1/1/84	0	296,694.00	0

TOTAL REVENUE AND CREDITS:

\$2,618,255.50 \$3,271,865.03 \$4,484,025

SOURCES OF REVENUE

PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED
(Exclusive of School and County)

Actual Approval, Dept. of Revenue
Estimated Town Meeting 1985

Adopted by
Department
of Revenue
1984

Actual
Revenue
for
1984

Estimated
Revenue
Ensuing Fiscal
Year 1985

1,021,451

1,021,451.00

1,633,908

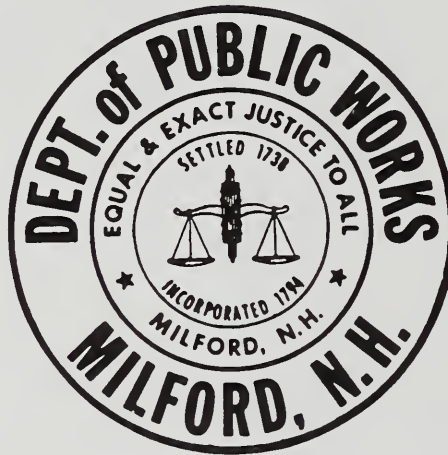
TOTAL REVENUE ALL SOURCES:

\$3,639,706

\$4,293,316

\$6,117,933

Public Works Department
for the
Year Ending December 31, 1984



Robert E. Courage, Director

MILFORD PUBLIC WORKS

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Building Inspection

1984 was a year of amazing growth for the town, particularly in the areas of one and two family dwellings, additions and repairs. By comparison to 1983 data the following increases are noted;

	# of units	\$ value
Single Family Dwellings	+ 613%	+ 407%
Two Family Dwellings	+ 94%	+ 88%
Residential Alterations & Additions	+ 29%	+ 40%
Commercial Alterations & Additions	+ 80%	+ 1715%
All Others	NA	+ 78%
TOTAL Building Inspection Activity	NA	+ 162%

BUILDING INSPECTION

1984

164 Single Family Dwellings	\$ 5,482,870.00
31 Two Family Dwellings	2,047,000.00
16 Residential Garages	128,811.00
9 Conversions - Residential	174,500.00
88 Residential Alterations & Additions	284,065.00
18 Commercial Alterations & Additions	1,537,200.00
7 Storage Sheds	4,139.00
4 Chimneys	2,600.00
8 Swimming Pools	56,000.00
Roger & Nancy Barraclough - 4 unit apartment	60,000.00
Bruce Holt - 4 Retail Stores	50,000.00
Allen C. Mello - Car Dealership	225,000.00
Hitchiner Mfg. Co. - Two Story Wood Bldg.	120,000.00
Welch Real Estate Trust - Service Garage for Bus Co.	80,000.00
Kent & Sharon Chappell - Storage Barn	4,000.00
Kathleen & Paul Holland, Jr. - Passive Solar Addition	11,000.00
Chris Robbins - Chicken Coop	2,000.00
Chappell Properties - Storage Shed	30,000.00
Robert Tuthill - Pole Barn	2,000.00
Milford Elm St. Trust - Temporary Partitions	41,000.00
Talarico Pontiac - Auto Show Room	774,986.00
Nash, Forest & Krook - Industrial Bldg.	350,000.00
George & Deborah Infanti - Insulation Storage Shed	50,000.00
Karl & Sheila Haven - Pump house	300.00
SMD Realty Trust - Car Wash & Two Apts.	125,000.00
Morgan Investment Properties - Two Story Restaurant	160,000.00
Morgan Investment Prop. - 62 Multi Family Dwell.	1,240,000.00
Gulf Oil Products - Replace underground Oil Tanks	25,000.00
Souhegan Estates - 90 Unit Apartments	2,098,800.00
Paul Phenix - Retail Structure	80,000.00
John Crafts & Donald Wheeler - Retail Office Bldg.	300,000.00
William & Linda Rizzo - Sales & Service TV Bs.	20,000.00
Total	\$15,566,271.00
New Mobile Homes - 8	

PERPETUAL CARE PAID IN 1984

Floyd Lemere	200.00
Marilyn Rawlinson	200.00
Mildred Mochrie	200.00
George Hatch	400.00
Nancy Salisbury	100.00
Water Kirby	100.00
Louis Amadio	200.00
m,arion Merrill	100.00
mary J. Elliott	50.00
Robert E. Courage	100.00
Richard Scruton	200.00
Joseph Pezzullo	100.00
Frank Maffee	200.00
David & Clara Murley	200.00
Kenneth hanson	50.00
Mrs. Sharon William	50.00
Grace Trombley	50.00
Mars. Mary Proctor	200.00
Mrs. William Mackie	<u>100.00</u>

\$2,800.00

CEMETERIES

From early April through November, a four man crew keeps busy providing the various maintenance tasks required to keep Milford's five Cemeteries in good order. Mowing and raking are the major items of work.

In West Street Cemetery, a large Pine tree that had been damaged by lightning required removing.

109 grave stones were reset in West Street Cemetery with the \$2,500. budgeted in 1984. This project was due to an accumulation of acts of vandalism over the past few years. Court recovery from three offenders that were apprehended reimbursed the Town with \$1,140.

The department operated within the budget during the year with exception to repairs to the 1975 Chevrolet Dump Truck which required extensive repairs. Consideration should be given to replacing this vehicle in the near future.

As in many previous years, your Superintendent feels the Foreman, Joe Pezzullo and his crew should be complimented for the fine job they did.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$36,701.86
Materials	717.92
Tools and Equipment	3,005.64
Repairs to Other Equipment	1,633.90
Tree Work	916.00
Gas and Oil	1,137.36
Truck Repairs	1,504.03
Uniforms	672.88
Vandalism - Repair Stone	
West St. Cemetery	2,500.00
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>315.78</u>
 TOTAL	 \$49,105.37
 Appropriation	 <u>49,585.00</u>
 BALANCE	 \$ 479.63

HIGHWAY OILING

10.8 miles of roads were sealed with an application of 1/5 gallon per square yard of liquid asphalt, followed with a generous cover of screened sand. After a two week curing period excess sand was removed.

Roads oiled included Melendy, Ruonala, Old Brookline, Whitten, Tucker Brook, Savage, McGettigan, Old Wilton and Tonella road. Walmsley Circle, Chappell, Woodward, Radcliff Drive, Olive, Laurel and Riverview Street were also treated.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$ 6,261.55
materials	21,294.91
Gas and Oil	748.57
Truck Repairs	1,059.97
Repairs to Other Equipment	1,616.74
Equipment Rental	1,080.00
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>136.33</u>
TOTAL	\$32,198.07
Appropriation	<u>32,272.00</u>
BALANCE	\$ 73.93

HIGHWAY SUMMER MAINTENANCE

Payroll totaling 19 weeks of the year was budgeted in this account for the Highway Department. A variety of maintenance activities were handled. These include sweeping streets, patching, maintaining gravel roads, sign work, mowing roadsides, maintenance of guard rails and fences on Milford's 62 miles of roads.

Equipment maintenance, repair and fuel are also included in this appropriation. The mechanic also services and performs repairs on the Police Department's cruisers. The Highway Department garage has been certified by the State Motor Vehicle Department as an Official Inspection Station for municipal vehicles. This will amount to a substantial savings to the D.P.W. and other Town Departments.

Sign vandalism continued at about the same level as last year. Of the \$2,100. spent about one half of the expenditure was due to vandalism.

No new streets were added to the Town road inventory in 1984, however, two new streets, David Drive and Brookview Drive, will be completed by developers in early 1985.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$41,576.94
Tools	780.78
Gas, Diesel, Oil and Lube	3,704.44
Equipment parts and Supplies	1,643.31
Tires	876.62
Truck Repairs	1,434.54
Repairs to Other Equipment	3,641.52
Radios and Repairs	338.80
Materials	4,428.14
Uniforms	801.60
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>1,041.21</u>
TOTAL	\$60,267.90
Appropriation	<u>60,493.00</u>
BALANCE	\$ 225.10

HIGHWAY WINTER MAINTENANCE

40% of the snow received during calendar year 1984 fell in March after Town Meeting. As in previous years our area received numerous storms of freezing rain. This type of winter storm is the most difficult for D.P.W. crews to deal with and also the most dangerous for motorists and pedestrians. About 4,000 cubic yards of sand and over 1,000 tons of salt, well over budget expectations, was used during the year for ice control.

We have strived to use less straight salt and more sand, this has added to our spring cleanup but is far less damaging to our environment.

In 1984 we had 15 plowing storms which is about average. The department clears about 62 miles of roads and five miles of sidewalks. Snow continues to be removed from the square and the heavily travelled main streets once the storm subsides.

Weekend storms resulting in additional overtime, the under-budgeting of equipment rentals and ice control materials resulted in the over-expenditure in this account.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$71,020.92
Equipment Rental	25,025.18
Tools	1,066.85
Gas, Diesel, Oil and Lube	13,629.72
Equipment Parts & Supplies	2,191.11
Truck Repairs	1,794.62
Repairs to Other Equipment	4,321.61
Radios and Repairs	322.90
Materials	36,382.98
Plow Blades	2,291.90
Plow Parts, Repair & Front Mounts	1,827.43
Tires	1,172.18
Tire Chains	734.75
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>546.85</u>
TOTAL	\$162,329.00
Appropriation	<u>140,023.00</u>
OVER-EXPENDED	\$-22,306.00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Milford's several parks, the Library lawns and the MCAA Field on North River Road, total approximately 30 acres of grass to mow. In 1984 about \$11,000. in Highway Department labor was spent on this type of work. The worn out flail mower attachment on the 1968 Ford tractor required replacing. This unit is operated on a full time basis during the spring growing season. The seven man Highway crew works on average of about one day per week from May through September on lawn care.

This year's tree work included pruning and spraying trees on the Oval, Hartshorn Park, War Memorial, Emerson Park and Bi-Centennial park.

At Keyes Field, the backboard was painted and chain link fences around the Tennis Courts were repaired. In the spring ball diamonds were re-edged, stone dust was added and rolled.

The filter and chlorinating equipment at Keyes Pool operated very well during the 10 week Summer Program. Prior to opening the pool, regular D.P.W. personnel drained and painted both pools. By the Town doing this work, at least a \$2,000. savings was realized over having a contracting firm do the work. A new section of aluminum bleachers was purchased for the pool area capable of seating about 70.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$30,951.77
Materials - Public Works Maint.	908.09
Oval Christmas Tree Lighting & Decorations	276.84
Expenses - Keyes Recreation	479.51
Expenses - Keyes Pool	1,052.82
Repairs & Maintenance to Pool	4,624.83
Electricity	2,425.21
Telephone & Burglar Alarm - Bathhouse	476.61
Public Works - Repairs to Other Equip.	3,015.34
New Equipment	1,394.00
Water	334.00
Sewer Users Fee - Pool	48.75
Tree Work	1,526.00
Gas and Oil	771.17
Fence Repairs	238.92
Other - Tools, Advertising	448.25
TOTAL	\$48,972.11
Appropriation	<u>51,247.00</u>
BALANCE	\$ 2,274.89

KEYES FIELD SUMMER RECREATION PROGRAM

The recreation program was basically divided into two aspects: (1) tennis lessons; and (2) an afternoon recreation program.

Tennis lessons were given during the morning. There were six classes: Ages 5-7; ages 8-10 beginners and advanced; ages 11-14 beginners and advanced; and adults. About 60 persons participated at times with about 30-35 on a very regular basis.

The afternoon recreation program offered two possibilities: First, several ball and board games were made available on a first-come/first-served basis through the bagroom. Children were allowed to "borrow" these items at any time between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Diligence on the part of the bagroom personnel prevented loss and damage of these items and the kids seemed to enjoy having everything available.

Second, more structured activities were scheduled and I personally supervised. Among the activities offered were a three-week "Keyes Field Olympics" corresponding to the World Olympics and culminated by a "Keyes Field Triathlon" and a cookout, free for all olympics participants. Also offered regularly were: archery, basketball, croquet, volleyball, horseshoes, baseball, frisbee golf and speedball.

Bob Fournier
Recreation Supervisor

KEYES FIELD SWIMMING PROGRAM

The Swimming program at Keyes Pool this year ran pretty smoothly. Starting at 7:00 a.m., the children 11 years old and up had swim team practice. Between 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., approximately 350 children took part in Red Cross swimming lessons. From 12:00 p.m.-1:30 p.m., there was swim team practice for the ten year olds and under. Pre-school free swim was also held at this time.

The day ended with adult lap swim between 5:00-6:00 p.m. and family swim between 6:00-8:00 p.m. Family swim gave the parents the opportunity to be with their children and see how their swimming skills had progressed.

The program at the Keyes Pool was successful and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

Rosemary McCarthy
Pool Supervisor

PUBLIC WORKS ADMINISTRATION

During 1984, Building Inspection was removed from Public Works and established as a separate department. The Wastewater Treatment Plant was consolidated into the Public Works Department.

Sharp increases in building in Milford over the past year has added additional demands on this office. Plans have to be reviewed, frequent field inspections of Utility Construction and new streets are required and working closely with the Planning Board and Building Inspection Department is being done to insure that work performed by developers is in accord with the Town's current road and utility specifications.

It has become very evident this year that an in-house Town Computer should be considered to handle the department's record keeping more efficiently.

Office staffing remains at the same level as it has been for the last fifteen years, two full time bookkeepers and the Director of Public Works.

Records of all departments included in Public Works are maintained in this office.

EXPENSES

Salaries	\$50,063.60
Office Supplies & Repairs	
to Office Equipment	1,230.43
Telephone	2,338.75
New Equipment	784.50
Miscellaneous Expense	<u>89.70</u>
TOTAL	\$54,506.98
Appropriation	<u>54,116.00</u>
OVER-EXPENDED	\$- 390.98

SEWER CONSTRUCTION

During 1984 the following new Sanitary Sewer Main extensions were installed. Knight Street, 760 lft. of 8" pipe; Elm Street, 660 lft. of 10" and 240 lft. of 8" pipe; Perkins Street, 165 lft. of 8" pipe; and David Drive, 1690 lft. of 2" pressure force main pipe. All costs associated with these extensions were paid for by developers. Actual work performed was done by contractors approved by the Milford Public Works Department. The dollar value of the new extensions is approximately \$100,000.

56 new customers were added to the Sanitary System during 1984. Presently there are 1,114 residential and 340 commercial, totaling 1,454 customers.

Only expenses incurred by the D.P.W. for sewer related job work is charged to this account. All costs are billed to the customer for reimbursement to the Town.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$ 967.55
Materials	541.03
Miscellaneous	<u>150.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 1,658.58
Appropriation	<u>5,000.00</u>
BALANCE	\$ 3,341.42

SEWER MAINTENANCE

Sanitary Sewer System - Sewer mains in the north section of Town were flushed this year. Our schedule is to provide this level of maintenance to all the sanitary mains in the system at least once every three years. Troublesome areas are attended to more frequently. The total amount of flushing recorded was 29,471 lft.

On Chestnut Street, three existing house service connections were found that had not been connected to the new 15" sanitary line. These were removed from the old 8" clay pipe which is now a storm drain and re-connected to the new sanitary main.

Manhole repairs were performed on Crosby and Knight Street; a broken 8" main on Shady Lane was repaired; manhole frames were raised on Union Street, Crosby Street, Ridgefield Drive and Osgood Road for street resurfacing.

7 sewer main and 22 sewer service stoppages were attended to during the year. 2 service lines required excavating and replacing from the main to curb.

6 homes and businesses on Elm Street were connected to the Interceptor main that carries Wilton's and Milford's sewer flow to the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

3 - 8" private connections were added to the system this year. These will eventually add 196 condominiums and apartments.

The four Siphon Chambers located on the Interceptor main were inspected several times and flushed during the year when required.

Storm Sewer System - The 600 catchbasins were cleaned out during the year with rented equipment. Each basin was inspected and masonry repairs were performed as needed.

On Mill Street, a deteriorated aluminum drain was replaced after only being in the ground about ten years. The pipe manufacturer replaced the pipe without cost to the Town.

Old Brick catchbasins that were found deteriorated on South, West and Bridge Streets were replaced with new precast units.

It was determined that recent storm drain flooding of lower apartments in the Mill Elderly Housing Building ^{on Bridge Street} was caused by an old 6" drain that their Contractor neglected to cap off. Costs incurred by the department for T.V. of the 18" drain and costs involved digging test pits were reimbursed to the Town by the owners of the Mill building.

SEWER MAINTENANCE

EXEPNSES

Labor	\$22,834.72
Materials	3,200.16
Truck Repairs	170.77
Repairs to Other Equipment	612.58
Equipment Rental	3,665.21
Equipment and Tools	1,217.97
Gas, Diesel, Oil and Lube	1,045.72
Uniforms	90.14
Miscellaneous	<u>342.13</u>
 TOTAL	 \$33,179.40
 Appropriation	 <u>32,293.00</u>
 OVER-EXPENDED	 \$- 886.40

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION

200 lft. of paved sidewalk on the south side of Nashua Street easterly from Linden Street was reconsntructed.

The project included the reset of granite curb, providing a new gravel base and re-paving.

EXPENSE

Labor	\$ 1,139.75
Materials	1,332.48
Granite Curb - Reset	720.00
Miscellaneous	<u>105.50</u>
 TOTAL	 \$ 3,297.73
 Appropriation	 <u>3,317.00</u>
 BALANCE	 \$ 19.27

SOLID WASTE TRANSFER STATION

The 1984 estimate for trash to be handled at the facility was 7,225 ton. Actual tonnage received totaled 9,460 tons. This represented a 30% increase over our projections.

About 60% of the tonnage received was commercial and 40% residential. The tipping fee between January 1, 1984 and June 30, 1984 was \$22.90 per ton, from July 1, 1984 to December 31, 1984 the tipping fee for commercial haulers and the fee paid to Browning and Ferris Co. to remove trash from our facility was \$23.35 per ton. The modest increase in the last half of 1984 was a result of CPI and fuel cost adjustments which are part of the Contract.

By the end of 1984, Milford was 4½ years into the five year Contract originally signed with Charles George Trucking Co. of Tyngsboro, MA. In March of 1983, the George Landfill was closed by the EPA for non-compliance to Federal and State regulations. The George Co. sold out to Browning and Ferris Co. who assumed the Milford Contract obligations.

Bids will be requested from trash removal contractors in early 1985 for another five year contract which will begin on July 1, 1985.

The Town is a member of the Nashua Solid Waste District which is one of a group of Towns vigorously pursuing the "waste to energy" concept of dealing with solid waste disposal. Hopefully by the time the next 5 year contract requires renewing a regional facility in the area will be in operation.

The \$44,000. over-expenditure in this account, which was due to handling far more commercial trash at the facility than estimated, was offset by a \$40,000. increase in income over the 1984 estimate.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$ 17,658.27
Contracted Services	214,230.82
Materials	449.50
Electricity	705.62
Telephone	327.89
Office Supplies	1,532.00
Scale Maintenance & Repair	1,778.23
Buildings - Maintenance & Repairs	70.52
Miscellaneous	<u>591.28</u>
TOTAL	\$237,344.14
Appropriation	<u>192,461.00</u>
OVER-EXPENDED	\$-44,883.14

STATE HIGHWAY BLOCK GRANT AID

Income received from the State for the purpose of maintenance, construction and/or reconstruction of Town roads.

Drainage - 350 lft. of 12" drain pipe and 2 new catchbasins were installed on West Street between Spaulding Street and Lewis Street. This improvement was made in conjunction with the 8" Sanitary Sewer replacement project. About 100 lft. of 18" drain pipe replaced an open ditch in West Street Cemetery. Drain pipe, precast catchbasins, frames, grates and masonry supplies for various Public Work's projects were purchased from this account.

Equipment Rentals - A firm from Billerica, MA^{furnished}/rented equipment to clean out the 600 catchbasins. Paving equipment was rented to repair the sewer and storm drain trenches on West Street. Emerson Road was widened near the junction of Federal Hill Road. This has improved visability and drainage at this intersection.

Tree Work - Several dead trees on Union Street were removed. Random dead trees were taken down on Jennison Road, Mason Road and Amherst Street. A utility bucket truck was rented for tree trimming along secondary roads. Considerable work was accomplished.

Materials - Most of the materials used during the department's Summer Maintenance Program such as gravel, hot top and cold patch is charged to this account.

Line Painting - All of the double yellow centerline pavement marking done by the State Highway Department for the Town is charged to this account.

Highway Resurfacing - Crosby Street, sections of Ridgefield Drive, Osgood Road and Union Street, totaling 1.3 miles, were resurfaced with a 5/8" course of asphalt plant mix. The results were - improved drainage and better riding quality. Plans are to resurface about 1.5 miles in 1985.

Steel Beam Guard Rail - was erected on Melendy Road. Radius sections were added to existing steel guard rail on Purgatory and Hartshorn Mill Road.

EXPENSES

Drainage	\$ 8,019.92
Equipment Rentals	5,968.64
Materials	19,242.99
Resurfacing	28,132.40
Leveling Roads-Prior to Oiling	13,161.87
Steel Beam Guard Rail	2,200.00
Tree Work	3,699.00
Line Painting	<u>2,248.91</u>
TOTAL	\$82,673.73
Appropriation	<u>83,702.00</u>
Earmarked for 1985(West St. Traffic Signal Project.)	\$ 1,028.27

TOWN BUILDINGS

Town Hall Building - Improvements included replacing wall to wall carpet in three offices and the Officer's day room in the Police Department. A brick silicone protective coating was applied to the buildings several chimneys. About 3' of loose brick was removed from the main chimney. A new concrete cap was then provided. All of the roof gutters and downspouts were cleaned and repaired as needed. Panic bars were replaced on the third floor fire escape exit door and the first floor front hall door. Several deteriorated window screens were replaced and all screens were painted. The Selectmen's office was also painted. Sections of leaking steam pipes were replaced and control valves were installed on radiators in the easterly end of the building.

Town Garage - Repairs were made to several of the older overhead doors. These will have to be replaced in a couple more years.

EXPENSES

Labor	\$14,668.81
Electricity - Town Hall Bldg.	8,011.36
Electricity - Town Garage	1,719.79
Fuel - Town Hall Bldgs.	12,439.15
Fuel - Town Garage	2,314.90
Repairs - Town Hall Bldg.	8,540.99
Repairs - Town Garage	496.45
Supplies - Town Hall Bldg.	3,457.19
Supplies - Town Garage	303.98
Telephone - Town Garage	808.27
Water - Town Hall Bldg.	289.20
Water - Town Garage	351.91
Sewer Users Fee - Town Hall Bldg.	725.40
Sewer Users Fee - Town Garage	60.45
Miscellaneous - Town Hall Bldg.	1,140.79
Miscellaneous - Town Garage	<u>307.94</u>
TOTAL	\$55,636.58
Appropriation	<u>55,438.00</u>
OVER-EXPENDED	\$- 198.58

AIR COMPRESSOR APPROPRIATION

This unit was purchased from New Hampshire Explosives and Machinery Corp. of Concord. The unit purchased was a Joy 185 cubic foot, diesel powered, trailer mounted compressor capable of operating two jackhammers.

This replaces the 1972 Worthington 85 cubic foot compressor which was traded in.

Appropriation	\$ 9,600.00
New Hampshire Explosives	<u>9,600.00</u>
Balance	-0-

ONE TON FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE DUMP TRUCK w/SNOW PLOW APPROPRIATION

Low bidder was McDevitt GMC, Inc. of Manchester. This new unit has proven to be a valuable addition to our equipment fleet.

This replaced the 1976 Chevrolet one-half ton pickup that was advertised and sold for the highest bid.

Appropriation(Revenue Sharing)	\$15,783.00
McDevitt GMC, Inc.	<u>15,782.57</u>
Balance	\$.43

ELM STREET BRIDGE REPAIR

Authorization was voted at the 1984 Town Meeting to spend from the accumulated TRA-A and TRA-B balance the sum of \$16,000.00 for the purpose of removing existing pipe railing, installing new steel beam railing and making masonry repairs to the bridge near the Peter Carol Apartments.

E. D. Swett Co., a bridge contractor from Concord, repaired the concrete deck under the sidewalk on the south side of the structure, added concrete curbing and installed new bridge railings to both sides of the bridge.

Harold Gautreau, a local masonry contractor, and labor furnished by the D.P.W. completed the pointing of the bridge abutments.

Appropriation	\$16,000.00
E. D. Swett Co.	<u>16,000.00</u>
Balance	-0-

NASHUA STREET RAILROAD CROSSING

The grade crossing near Riverside Cemetery was replaced by the Boston and Main Railroad. Advance warning lights were also provided as part of this project.

After the new panels were installed, at a minimum of inconvenience to traffic, road repairs were done by the George Brox Co. from Dracut, MA.

Funding for this project was provided by Federal, State and Town sources. Final project costs from the State Highway Department were not complete in December.

Appropriation (Earmarked from 1983)	\$12,000.00
Amount sent to State Department of Public Works	<u>12,000.00</u>

SNOWBLOWER APPROPRIATION

This equipment was purchased from the R. C. Hazelton Co., of Manchester. The unit purchased was an SMI Model 2200, single stage, diesel powered blower. This replaced the 1968 Sicard Blower which was traded in.

Appropriation	\$29,595.00
R. C. Hazelton Co.	<u>29,595.00</u>
Balance	-0-

SWENSON HYDRAULIC V BOX SPREADER APPROPRIATION

Low bid was from the R.C. Hazelton Co., of Manchester. This unit replaced a 1976 gas powered unit which was traded in.

Appropriation	\$ 2,900.00
R. C. Hazelton Co.	<u>2,900.00</u>
Balance	-0-

TOWN HALL - FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM
AND ELECTRICAL IMPROVEMENTS

Equipment and the installation of a basic fire alarm system was contracted with Amherst Alarm Systems Incorporated.

This project included installing a main panel which was located in the Communication Center. A separate zone was designated for each floor level of the building. Throughout the building, at various locations, pull stations, horns and smoke and heat detectors were installed. This system has the capabilities for expansion in the future.

Electrical improvements which are to install a new sub-panel in the Ambulance garage area and to separate and tie in existing circuits in the east end of the building has not been started.

Appropriation (Revenue Sharing	\$ 2,000.00
Amherst Systems Inc.	<u>1,999.00</u>
Balance	\$ 1.00

Appropriation	\$ 5,425.00
Amherst Systems, Inc.	<u>1,341.00</u>
Earmarked for 1985	\$ 4,084.00

WEST STREET SANITARY SEWER REPLACEMENT

592 lft. of 8" clay sewer main, southerly from the intersection of Spaulding Street, was replaced with new 8" P.V.C. pipe. Several house service lines were re-connected to the new main. For several years this section of line was plagued with tree root infiltration which frequently caused sewer backups.

Public Works purchased the materials and the R. H. White Company was hired to install the new pipe. Road repairs were handled by the D.P.W. and paving equipment was rented from Beechwood Construction, a local Contractor.

EXPENSES

Survey	\$ 150.00
Materials	2,726.90
Equipment Rental	<u>7,123.10</u>
TOTAL	\$10,000.00
Appropriation	<u>10,000.00</u>
Balance	-0-

MILFORD PUBLIC WORKS
FINANCIAL STATEMENT
DECEMBER 31, 1984

	Town Approp.	Approp. Revenue Sharing	Expense	Balance		Income
				Unexpended	Over-Expended	
Cemetery	49,585.		49,105.37	479.63		38,521.11
Highway Oiling	32,272.		32,198.07	73.93		
Hwy Summer Maintenance	60,493.		60,267.90	225.10		1,622.54
Hwy Winter Maintenance	140,023.		162,329.00		22,306.00	3,126.00
Parks and Playgrounds	51,247.		48,972.11	2,274.89		389.03
Public Works	54,116.		54,506.98		390.98	27,558.00
Sewer Construction	5,000.		1,658.58	3,341.42		2,465.43
Sewer Maintenance	32,293.		33,179.40		886.40	28,065.76
Sidewalk Construction	3,317.		3,297.73	19.27		
Solid Waste Transfer Station	192,461.		237,344.14		44,883.14	135,726.91
State Hwy Block Grant Aid	83,702.		82,673.73	1,028.27**		86,701.73*
Town Buildings	55,438.		55,636.58		198.58	226.54
TRA-A & B						43,123.18*
Water	262,892.		275,222.68		12,330.68	288,678.52
Wastewater Treatment Plant	371,508.		367,562.40	3,945.60		457,314.11
<u>SPECIALS</u>						
GMC 1 ton Dump Truck		15,783.	15,782.57	.43		
Joy Portable Air Compressor		9,600.	9,600.00			
SMI Snow Blower		29,595.	29,595.00			
1984 Swenson Spreader		2,900.	2,900.00			
T. Hall Smoke & Heat Detection		2,000.	1,999.00	1.00		
" " " " "			1,341.00	4,084.00**		
Elm St. 122/130 Bridge Repair	5,425.		16,000.00			
West St. Sanitary Sewer Replacement	16,000.		10,000.00			
	10,000.					
TOTAL	\$1,425,772.	\$59,878.	\$1551,172.24	\$15,473.54	\$80,995.78	\$1,113,518.86

*Balance to be earmarked for 1985, etc.

**To be earmarked for 1985

WATER DEPARTMENT

year

Distribution System - During the/7,345 lft. of main pipe and 22 new hydrants were added to the system to accomodate building projects. All costs involved were paid by developers. On Amherst Street, 850 lft. of new 10" water main was installed easterly from the intersection of North Street. This extension supplemented an existing 6" main and corrected a problem with inadequate fire flows that this area has experienced for many years. The developer of Longley Place II, a 45 unit condominium project located at the corner of Amherst Street and Merrimack Road, was required to pay the entire cost of this project before permission was given for his project to be connected to the water system. On Elm Street 645 lft. of new 12" main was added that connected to previous dead end sections of 8" main. This provides better circulation by looping the piping at Savage road. A second source, other than the 8" main on Old Wilton Road, is ^{now}/available to fill the .5 million gallon Dram cup Hill water storage tank. Developers were required to pay for this distribution system improvement prior to allowing Meadowbrook Industrial Park and Scarborough Warehouse to connect to the town system. In July an 8" water main broke on Amherst Street in a stone culvert. It took the department 26 hours to locate the leak. About 2 million gallons of water was lost in the river. Repairs included replacing about 40 lft. of 8" pipe, masonry repairs to the culvert which was severely damaged and road repairs. This cost amounted to about \$10,000.00. 74 new services were added, this exceeds any other recent year of growth. Milford is facing additional demands for water with the increase in building. Funds have been included in the 1985 budget for an engineering study to re-evaluate the system's pipe line network. The last time this was done was in 1977. The system has been expanded considerably since then.

Storage Tanks - The .25 million gallon wrought iron standpipe on Prospect Street was drained, the interior and exterior cleaned by sandblasting, two coats of special paint was applied prior to refilling, the tank was cleaned and sterilized. This project was done by Inter-State Contracting and Coating Co., Inc. from Zelinople, Pa. for the sum of \$19,900.00. The Town's project inspector was Robert L. Merithew, Inc. from Raynham Center, Mass. Tenative scheduling is to paint the .5 million gallon Mayflower tank in 1986.

Source of Supply - The two Curtis Wells supply about 90% of Milford's water supply. In late October, the New Hampshire Water Supply Division, during routine sampling discovered levels of from one to five parts per billion of volatile organic contamination present in the Keyes 350 GPM gravel packed well. Even though the samples showed only a trace, we were asked by the State Water Supply Division to remove the well from service, this was complied with. A followup letter from the State advised the Town that the well could however be used if there was an emergency. To date, we have not had to use the well for water supply. The loss of a second well has raised serious concerns with the departments ability to supply water enough to satisfy the immediate growth needs in Milford. Funds have been included in the 1985 budget for a 2 1/2" test well exploration program in the Osgood Pond area. Other options to be investigated include the feasibility of a surface supply, the possibility of purchasing water from a private water company and treating for the removal of contaminants from the Keyes and Savage Well. We must make every effort to insure our customers that an ample supply of good quality water will be available now and in future years.

Administration - Actual revenues received from the sale of water and from other sources amounted to about 11% more than anticipated. The operating budget for 1984 was over-expended by \$13,400. The primary reason was the Amherst Street water break and the purchase of additional materials used in providing outside job work services. The additional revenue resulted in about a \$13,000. increase in the cash balance at the end of December of the January balance. The need for in-house town computer that, as one of its many functions, could handle the 2,100 accounts receivables has become very evident. We are in hopes that consideration be given by the Town to consider the purchase of a computer in the near future.

WATER DEPARTMENT
1984

EXPENSES

Labor	\$59,714.81
Materials - Pipe & Fittings	14,092.84
Engineering & Drafting	230.00
Water Sampling Expense	1,528.50
Equipment Rentals	13,913.21
New Meters	6,634.26
Meter Parts	122.28
New Hydrants	4,209.84
Hydrant Parts	895.06
New Equipment	2,041.54
Road Repair Materials	10,413.15
Public Work Administration	27,058.00
Pumping Station - Repairs to Buildings	2,059.76
Pumping Station - supplies & Expense	1,476.72
Pumping Station - Repairs to Equipment	5,636.40
Corrosion Control	17,831.70
Telephone & Telemetering	3,733.67
Electricity	30,778.62
Office Supplies & Expense	3,507.38
Interest on Notes	16,238.76
Principle on Notes	20,650.00
Repairs - 1977 Chevy Service Truck	883.43
1979 Chevy Pickup	1,115.25
1980 Case Backhoe	516.28
1984 Joy Compressor	63.69
Repairs to Other Equipment	153.35
Radios and Repairs	597.40
Tools and Equipment Parts & Supplies	426.26
Lights, Barricades & Signs	503.16
Gas, Oil and Lube	3,207.10
Heating Oil & Propane Gas	1,188.73
Standpipe Inspections & Repairs	19,437.34
Accounting Expense	1,800.00
Real Estate Tax - Curtis Land	653.79
Tires	402.20
Backflow Preventer Valve Testing Program	654.80
Uniforms	450.31
Miscellaneous	<u>403.09</u>
TOTAL	\$275,222.68
Appropriation	<u>262,892.00</u>
OVER-EXPENDED	\$ 12,330.68

WATER DEPARTMENT STATISTICS 1984

Maximum Day, total gallons pumped, July 27, 1984	1,680,000 *
Minimum Day, total gallons pumped, January 30, 1984	210,000
Average gallons pumped per day	641,153
New Water Main Added - 12"	995'
New Water Main Added - 10"	2,050'
New Water Main Added - 8"	3,591'
New Water Main Added - 6"	709'
Main Gate Valves Replaced	1
Water Main Breaks	13
Number of Hydrants - December 31	295
Hydrants Added	22
Hydrants Replaced	8
Number of Water Services - December 31	1,992
Water Services Added	96
Water Service Replacement (Main to Property Line)	1
Water Service Freezeups	6
Subscribers:	
Residential	1,729
Commercial/Industrial	263

COMPARISON OF WATER PUMPED (Millions of Gallons)

<u>Month</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>1984</u>
January	18,290,000	17,332,000
February	15,750,000	16,630,000
March	17,660,000	18,200,000
April	17,280,000	17,790,000
May	19,120,000	19,730,000
June	19,770,000	21,820,000
July	21,682,000	22,500,000
August	23,244,000	21,750,000
September	20,917,000	19,780,000
October	21,085,000	20,080,000
November	17,755,000	18,660,000
December	<u>17,103,000</u>	<u>20,390,000</u>
TOTAL	229,656,000	234,662,000

MILFORD PUBLIC WORKS
WATER DEPARTMENT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
as of December 31, 1984

Cash on Deposit 1/1/84		\$61,475.86
Plus Receipts		
Collection on Accounts Receivable	\$283,862.24	
Interest	3,239.96	
Customer Deposit	-	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,576.32</u>	<u>288,678.52</u>
Total Available		\$350,154.38
Less Disbursements		<u>275,222.68</u>
CASH AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1984		<u>\$ 74,931.70</u>

STATEMENT OF CUSTOMERS' ACCOUNTS

Accounts Receivable 1/1/84		\$ 16,674.13
Plus Charges		
Resident Sales	\$244,402.30	
Merchandise Sales & Job Work	15,807.98	
Hydrant Rentals	27,300.00	
Customer Deposits	-	
Interest	3,239.96	
Miscellaneous	<u>1,576.32</u>	<u>292,326.56</u>
Total		\$309,000.69
Less Collections	288,678.52	
Adjustments	<u>957.00</u>	<u>289,635.52</u>
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE DECEMBER 31, 1984		<u>\$ 19,365.17</u>

MILFORD WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
Sewer Users Fund Budget
1984
(cash Basis)

	1984 <u>Adopted</u>	1984 <u>Actual</u>	1985 <u>Proposed</u>
Personnel	\$126,090.00	\$122,256.24	\$165,643.00
Administration (direct)	17,679.00	18,871.93	29,227.00
* Administration (indirect)	1,060.00	1,060.00	-0-
Operation & Maintenance	43,880.00	55,372.22	102,009.00
** Sanitary Sewer Maintenance	25,902.00	24,920.23	-0-
Chemicals	13,625.00	15,365.88	23,614.00
Laboratory	4,400.00	4,315.94	7,039.00
Utilities	99,515.00	89,459.21	99,515.00
Landfill - lagoon	31,857.00	28,109.98	39,825.00
Building Maintenance	2,000.00	2,289.21	4,325.00
Debt Service	5,500.00	5,499.44	5,151.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
OPERATIONS TOTALS	\$371,508.00	\$367,520.28	\$476,348.00

* Administration indirect included in administration direct for 1985

** Sanitary Sewer Maintenance included in operations & maintenance for 1985

SEWER USERS FUND
STATEMENT OF CASH POSITION
DECEMBER 31, 1984

Cash Receipts

Beginning Balance - January 1, 1984 \$37,836.39

From Tax Collector:

Sewer Users Tax	\$404,636.02
Redeemed Taxes	5,041.14
Tax Sales Receipts	5,667.50
Interest Charges	<u>2,356.02</u>
	\$417,700.68

Office Collections:

Town of wilton	\$ 39,440.02
Septage Receiving Fees	4,180.50
Interest NOW Account	1,766.40
Miscellaneous	<u>2,164.74</u>
	\$ 47,551.66

Total Receipts 465,252.34

Total Available \$503,088.73

Cash Disbursements

1984 Expenses	\$411,161.53
1983 Payables	2,567.34
Paid Town of Milford Advance Acct.	55,000.00
Tax Sales	<u>5,667.50</u>

Total Disbursements \$474,396.37

CASH ON HAND DECEMBER 31, 1984 \$ 28,692.36

1983 Sewer Tax Uncollected 1/1/84	\$ 46,320.68
1984 Sewer Tax Submitted to Tax Collector	415,930.63
1984 Sewer Tax Interest Added	<u>2,289.98</u>
	<u>\$464,541.29</u>

Collected and Received from Tax Collector:

Sewer User Taxes	\$410,303.52
Sewer User Interest	1,890.36
Uncollected Sewer Users Taxes 12/31/84	<u>52,347.41</u>
	<u>\$464,541.29</u>

SNOWFALL IN MILFORD, N. H.
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1984

Reported by Andrew E. Rothovius
National Weather Service Co-operative Observer
Measurements in inches and tenths
for 24 hour periods ending at 7:00 p.m.

JANUARY	
2	0.3
10	7.5
11	6.0
13	0.8
14	1.8
15	0.7
18	1.8
19	1.6
29	0.3
30	0.2
31	<u>3.0</u>
Total	24.0

FEBRUARY	
5	0.2
6	0.1
18	.4
28	<u>2.6</u>
Total	3.3

MARCH	
5	2.5
9	0.1
11	0.2
13	6.2
14	9.1
29	8.2
30	<u>1.6</u>
Total	27.9

DECEMBER	
6	5.8
15	0.7
19	1.5
22	2.7
28	<u>0.1</u>
Total	10.8

Traces (less than one-tenth of an inch)
fell on Feb. 9, Feb. 29, March 3, Nov.
17, Dec. 3, Dec. 7 and Dec. 27.

RECAPITULATION

January	24.0
February	3.3
March	27.9
December	<u>10.8</u>
Grand	
Total	66.0

The year's snowfall added up to just under the long-term annual average 70 inches for this area, but was very unevenly distributed, with almost half of it coming in March and nearly as much in January, with a virtually snowless February in between. Three storms were in the major category: January 10-11, March 13-14 and March 29-30. The latter because of its severe drifting and numerous fallen trees and broken branches and downed utility lines, being most difficult to cope with.

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW E. ROTHOVIVS

NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION



TOWNS

R.S.A., Chapter 71-a

UNIFORM MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF MILFORD

—IN—

HILLSBOROUGH

COUNTY

For The Calendar Year Ended December 31, 1984

OR

~~For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1985~~

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date 02/22/85

[Signature]
[Signature] Selectmen
[Signature]
 (Please sign in ink)

When To File: (R.S.A. 71-A:18)

1. For Towns reporting on a calendar year basis, this report must be filed on or before March 1st, 1985.
2. For Towns reporting on an optional fiscal year basis (FY ending June 30, 1985), this report must be filed on or before September 1st, 1985.

Where To File:

Municipal Services Division, Department of Revenue Administration
P.O. Box 457, Concord, New Hampshire 03301

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Three copies of this report are sent to each town. Selectmen, treasurer, and tax collector are expected to cooperate in making out this report. When made out, one copy should be returned to the Department of Revenue Administration and one copy should be placed on file among the town records. The third copy is for use in preparing the annual printed report for the voters.

ASSETS

BALANCE

200	Cash:			
201	<i>All funds in custody of treasurer (See instructions-Attach Supporting Schedule)</i>	971,640	59	
202	<i>In hands of officials (See Instructions-Attach Supporting Schedule)</i>			
203	Certificates of Deposit	338,000	00	
204				
205				
206	TOTAL CASH			1,309,640 15
207	Capital Reserve Funds: (R.S.A., Chap. 35) (State Purpose of Fund) (Offsets similar liability account)			
208				
209				
210				
211				
212	Total Capital Reserve Funds			
213	<i>Accounts Due to the Town</i>			
214	Due from State:			
215	Joint Highway Construc'n Accounts, Unexpended Bal. In State Treasury			
216				
217				
218				
219				
220				
221				
222	Other bills due Town:			
223	Lien For the Elderly (RSA 72:38-A) (Offsets similar liability account)			
224	Due from Welfare Administration	1,200	00	
225	Donations	11,000	00	
226	Communications Center - due from other Towns	2,492	64	
227	Dogs	25	25	
228				
229				
230				
231				
232	Total Accounts Due to the Town			14,717 18
233	Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)			
234	(a) Levy of 1983	61,202	44	
235	(b) Levy of 1982	26,562	46	
236	(c) Levy of 1981	4,543	00	
237	(d) Previous Years	701	33	
238	Total Unredeemed Taxes			93,009 2
239	Uncollected Taxes: (Including All Taxes)			
240	(a) Levy of 1984	778,114	08	
241	(b) Levy of 1983	40	00	
242	(c) Levy of 1982	306	13	
243	(d) Previous Years	3,257	86	
244	(e) Uncollected Sewer Rents Assessments (Offsets similar liability account)			
245	Total Uncollected Taxes			781,718 0
246	Total Assets (Lines 206 + 212 + 232 + 238 + 245)			2,199,085 7
247	Fund Balance—Deficit—Current Deficit (Excess of liabilities over assets)			
248	Grand Total (Lines 246 + 247)			2,199,085 7
249	Fund Balance—December 31, 1983			
250	Fund Balance—December 31, 1984			
251	Change in Financial Condition			

SHEET

LIABILITIES

300	Accounts Owed by the Town:		
301	Bills outstanding	11,195	03
302	Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations: (Attach Schedule) #303	6,914	11
303	Unexpended Balances of Bond & Note Funds (Attach Schedule)		
304	Sewer Fund		
305	Parking Meter Fund	1,361	82
306	Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds		
307	Unexpended Law Enforcement Assistance Funds		
308	Unexpended State Highway Subsidy Funds	31,151	18
309	Performance Guarantee (Bond) Deposits		
310	Uncollected Sewer Rents/Assessments (Offsets similar asset account)		
311			
312			
313	Due to State:		
314	2%-Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes		
315	Dog License Fees Collected—Not Remitted		
316			
317			
318	Withheld Group Insurance	728	86
319			
320	Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow Acc't)	6,637	06
321	County Taxes Payable		
322	Precincts Taxes Payable		
323	School District(s) Tax(es) Payable	1,795,610	00
324			
325	Tax Anticipation Notes Outstanding: List each note separately with name of holder and maturity date		
326			
327			
328			
329			
330			
331			
332	Other Liabilities (Attach Schedule)		
333	Property Taxes Collected in Advance		
334	Lien for the Elderly (Offsets similar asset account)		
335			
336			
337	Total Accounts Owed by the Town	1,853,598	06
338			
339	State and Town Joint Highway Construction Accounts:		
340	(a) Unexpended balance in State Treasury		
341	(b) Unexpended balance in Town Treasury		
342	Total of State and Town Joint Highway Construction Account		
343	Capital Reserve Funds: (Offsets similar Asset account)		
344			
345			
346			
347	Total Capital Reserve Funds		
348	Total Liabilities (Lines 337 + 342 + 347)	1,853,598	06
349	Fund Balance—Current Surplus (Excess of assets over liabilities)	345,487	72
350			
351			
352	Grand Total (Line 348 + 349)	2,199,085	78
353			

Note: DO NOT INCLUDE OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS AMONG LIABILITIES ON THIS PAGE: SUCH DEBT MUST BE REPORTED ON PAGE 8.

RECEIPTS

1	FROM LOCAL TAXES: (Collected and Remitted to Treasurer)		
2	Property Taxes — Current Year — 1984	4,579,755	19
3	Property Taxes — Collected in Advance		
4	Resident Taxes — Current Year — 1984	48,080	00
5	Resident Taxes — Collected in Advance		
6	National Bank Stock Taxes — Current Year 1984	3,788	87
7	Yield Taxes — Current Year — 1984	9,544	54
8	Property Taxes and Yield Taxes — Previous Years	619,617	95
9	Resident Taxes — Previous Years	9,310	00
10	Land Use Change Tax — Current and Prior Years	36,820	00
11	Interest received on Delinquent Taxes	34,056	83
12	Penalties: Resident Taxes	1,263	00
13	Tax sales redeemed	140,814	38
14	Tax Sales Redeemed Interest	28,009	44
15	Total Taxes Collected and Remitted		5,511,060 20
16	INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - STATE		
17	Shared Revenue		
18	Highway Block Grant	86,701	73
19	Railroad Tax		
20	State Aid Water Pollution Projects		
21	Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	15	25
22	Other Reimbursements (Attach Schedule)		
23	Ambulance	900	--
24	TRA "A" refund	43,123	18
25	New Hampshire Block Grant	244,967	55
26			
27			
28	Other State Revenues (Attach Schedule)	244,972	15
29	Railroad Crossing	3,868	00
30			
31			
32			
33	INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES - FEDERAL		
34	Federal Grants		
35			
36			
37			
38			
39	Other Federal Grants (Attach Schedule)		
40	Total Intergovernmental Revenues		624,547 86
41	LICENSES AND PERMITS		
42	Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	469,050	00
43	Dog Licenses	3,075	40
44	Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	9,142	86
45	Boat Registrations	2,009	00
46			
47			
48			
49	Other Licenses and Permits (Attach Schedule)		
50	Total Licenses and Permits		483,277 26

51	CHARGES FOR SERVICES			
52	Income From Departments See schedule #52 attached	192,553	85	
53	Rent of Town Property			
54				
55				
56				
57	Other Charges for Services-(Attach Schedule)			
58	Total Charge For Services		192,553	85
59	MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES			
60	Interest on Deposits NOW account	5,623	84	
61	Sale of Town Property Equipment	12,531	60	
62	Reimbursement from other funds	38,850	07	
63	Election and Registration	287	50	
64	District Court	11,959	64	
65				
66	Other Miscellaneous Revenues (Attach Schedule) See schedule #66	278,010	68	
67	Total Miscellaneous Revenues		347,263	33
68	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES			
69	Proceeds of Long Term Notes			
70	Proceeds of Bond Issues			
71	Income from Water, Sewer and Electric Departments miscellaneous	6,902	04	
72	Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	112,783	00	
73	Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds Due from other funds - sewer	55,000	00	
74	Interest on Investments of Revenue Sharing Funds			
75	Certificates of Deposit	6,362,382	10	
76	Interest on Certificates of Deposit	74,647	28	
77	Interest on Money Market Account	45,904	29	
78				
79	Other Financing Sources (Attach Schedule)			
80	Total Other Financing Sources		6,657,618	71
81	NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS			
82	New Trust Funds received during year			
83	Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	4,150,000	00	
84	Proceeds of Loans in Anticipation of Bond Issues			
85	Proceeds of Loans in Anticipation of Long Term Notes			
86	Proceeds of Loans in Anticipation of Federal Aid - F.H.A.	258,447	00	
87	Proceeds of Loans in Anticipation of State Aid			
88	Yield Tax Security Deposits			
89	Keyes Tennis Court Interest	14	47	
90	Escrow Account interest	1,922	53	
91	Scarborough Performance Bond interest	649	91	
92	Marino Escrow Account interest	64	43	
93				
94				
95	Other Non-Revenue Receipts (Attach Schedule)			
96	Total Non-Revenue Receipts		4,411,098	34
97	Total Receipts from All Sources		18,227,419	55
98	Cash on Hand January 1, 1984 (July 1, 1984)		1,046,049	36
99	Grand Total		19,273,468	91

PAYMENTS

100 GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
101	Town officers' salaries	30,807	50
102	Town officers' expenses	90,691	65
103	Election and Registration expenses	4,116	65
104	General Government Buildings	55,636	58
105	Reappraisal of Property Board of Adjustment	2,887	89
106	Planning and Zoning	6,987	68
107	Legal Expenses	41,291	50
108	Advertising and Regional Association Audit	6,610	00
109	Contingency Fund Public Works Administration	54,506	98
110	Other General Governmental Expenses (Attach Schedule)	0	
111	Total General Governmental Expenses	293,536	43
112 PUBLIC SAFETY			
113	Police Department	317,516	98
114	Fire Department	71,901	43
115	Civil Defense	2,343	12
116	Building Inspection / Assessing	25,275	17
117	Other Public Safety Expenses (Attach Schedule) See schedule 117	120,570	36
118	Total Public Safety Expenses	537,607	06
119 HIGHWAYS, STREET, BRIDGES			
120	Town Maintenance Sewer Maintenance	33,179	40
121	General Highway Department Expenses Sewer Construction	1,658	58
122	Street Lighting	43,574	72
123	Highway Oiling	32,198	07
124	Highway Maintenance - Summer	60,267	90
125	Other Highways and Bridges Expenses (Attach Schedule) Hiway - Winter	162,329	00
126	Total Highways and Bridges Expenses	333,207	67
127 SANITATION			
128	Solid Waste Disposal - Transfer Station	237,344	14
129	Garbage Removal Water Dept. Hydrant Rental	27,100	00
130	Other Sanitation Expenses (Attach Schedule) Wilton Water Works	600	00
131	Total Sanitation Expenses	265,044	14
132 HEALTH			
133	Health Department	5,600	00
134	Hospitals and Ambulances Department	25,689	17
135	Animal Control Water Payroll	53,241	62
136	Vital Statistics	197	50
137	Other Health Expenses (Attach Schedule)		
138	Total Health Expenses	84,728	29
139 WELFARE			
140	General Assistance	15,614	43
141	Old Age Assistance	17,465	13
142	Aid to the Disabled		
143	Other Welfare Expenses (Attach Schedule)		
144	Total Welfare Expenses	33,079	56
145 CULTURE AND RECREATION			
146	Library	74,060	38
147	Parks and Recreation	48,972	11
148	Patriotic Purposes Memorial Day	1,419	02
149	Conservation Commission Trustees of Trust Funds	1,750	00
150	Other Culture and Recreational Expenses (Attach Schedule) Band Concerts	3,232	28
151	Total Culture and Recreational Expenses	129,433	79

PAYMENTS — (Continued)

152	DEBT SERVICE		
153	Principal of Long-Term Bond & Notes	293,286	34
154	Interest Expense — Long-Term Bonds & Notes	276,072	25
155	Interest Expense — Tax Anticipation Notes	118,256	26
156	Interest Expense — Other Temporary Loans		
157	Fiscal Charges on Debt		
158	Total Debt Service Payments	687,614	85
159	CAPITAL OUTLAY		
160	Ambulance Capital Reserve	30,783	00
161	Fire Truck Capital Reserve	82,000	00
162			
163			
164	Total Capital Outlay	112,783	00
165	OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT		
166	Payments to Capital Reserve Funds: Class 4 and 5 Highways	10,000	00
167			
168			
169			
170	Municipal and District Court Expenses	1,300	00
171	Other Operating Transfer Out (Attach Schedule)		
172	Total Operating Transfers Out	11,300	00
173	MISCELLANEOUS		
174	Municipal Water Department Workmens Compensation	49,991	70
175	Municipal Sewer Department Employees Retirement	4,090	77
176	Municipal Electric Department Group Health Insurance	82,619	93
177	FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	37,825	41
178	Insurance — Property and Liability	28,132	60
179	Unemployment Compensation	3,521	49
180	Other Miscellaneous Expenses (Attach Schedule)		
181	Total Miscellaneous Expenses	206,181	90
182	UNCLASSIFIED:		
183	Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	4,150,000	00
184	Taxes bought by town	89,459	41
185	Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	39,422	41
186	Payments to trustees of trust funds (New Trust Funds) Certs. of Deposit	6,700,382	10
187	Payment of Lien for the Elderly (RSA 72:38-A)		
188	Refund and Payment from Yield Tax Escrow Fund to Tax Collector	2,559	57
189	Other Unclassified expenses (Attach Schedule) Schedule #189	380,576	06
190	Total Unclassified Expenses	11,362,399	55
191	PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:		
192	Payment to State a c Dog License and Marriage License Fees		
193	Taxes paid to County	424,352	00
194	Payments to Precincts		
195	Payments to School Districts (1984 Tax \$2,325,000 1985 Tax \$1,495,560.08	3,820,560	08
196	Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	4,244,912	08
197	Total Payments for all Purposes	18,301,828	32
198	Cash on hand December 31, 1984 — (June 30, 1985)(Attach Schedule)	971,640	59
199	Grand Total	19,273,468	91

BONDS AND LONG TERM NOTES AUTHORIZED-UNISSUED:

As of December 31, 1984, June 30, 1985 (1)

Bonds and Long Term Notes Authorized-Unissued:	Year	Amount	
Purpose (List Each Separately)			

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1984, June 30, 1985 (1)

FHA Cap. Proj. - Sewer - Town	Purpose	1,012,565	00		
- State	of	2,782,435	00		
1. Long-Term Notes Outstanding:	Issue (2)	36,666	66		
(List Each Issue Separately)					
Communications Center					
Curtis Well		427,500	00	.	.
Chevy Pickup/ Alarm system		4,803	00	.	.
Elm Street Water Main - Phase 1		68,000	00	.	.
Elm Street Water Main - Phase 2		52,200	00	.	.
Keyes Swimming Pool Renovations		22,000	00	.	.
2. Total Long-Term Notes Outstanding		120,000	00		
Transfer Station					
North Street Water Main		69,600	00		
3. Bonds Outstanding:		239,000	00		
Capital Proj. bonding					
(List Each Issue Separately)					
TOTAL - TOTAL				4,834,769	66
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				.	.
				.	.
4. Total Bonds Outstanding				.	.
5. Total Long-Term Indebtedness — December 31, 1984, June 30, 1985					
(Line 2 Plus Line 4)				4,834,769	66

(1) Amount of outstanding long term indebtedness must be reported as of the end of the municipality's fiscal year, i.e., in towns reporting on a calendar year basis-December 31, 1984, in towns reporting on a fiscal year basis - June 30, 1985, or other applicable date.

(2) Use code "S" for Sewer Bonds; "W" for Water Bonds; "G" for General Purpose Bonds.

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG-TERM INDEBTEDNESS

1. Outstanding Long-Term Debt — January 1 1984, July 1, 1984	.	.	.	.	.	4,889,056	00
2. New Debt Created During Fiscal Year:	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
a. Long-Term Notes Issued						.	.
b. Bonds Issued	293,000	00	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total (Line 2a and 2b)	.	.	.	.	.	239,000	00
4. Total (Line 1 and 3)	.	.	.	.	.	5,128,056	00
5. Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
a. Long-Term Notes Paid	293,286	34	.	.	.	.	.
b. Bonds Paid			.	.	.	.	.
6. Total (Line 5a and 5b)	.	.	.	.	.	293,286	34
7. Outstanding Long-Term Debt — December 31, 1984, June 30, 1985	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
(Line 4 Less Line 6)	.	.	.	.	.	4,834,769	66

DO NOT REPORT LONG-TERM INDEBTEDNESS AS LIABILITIES ON PAGE 3

SCHEDULE 303 Form MS-5 1984

Library	1,357.13
Master Plan	386.28
Maps	244.05
Master Plan	842.65
Heat and Smoke Detection System - Town Hall	4,084.00
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	\$6,914.11

SCHEDULE 52 Form MS-5 1984

Ambulance Service	12,700.32
Traffic Fund	513.90
Police Department	22,080.71
Town Offices	333.30
Town Histories	405.00
Water Department	56,779.75
Communications Center	57,283.08
Town Poor	21.40
Cemeteries	38,521.11
Civil Defense	1,413.28
Fire Department	2,502.00
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	\$192,553.85

SCHEDULE 66 Form MS-5 1984

Parks and Playgrounds	389.03
Building Inspection	61,663.23
Town Buildings	226.54
Board of Adjustment	1,644.65
Planning Board	6,912.23
Transfer Station	135,726.91
Highway Maintenance - Summer	1,622.54
Highway Maintenance - Winter	3,126.00
Sewer Maintenance	28,065.76
Sewer Construction	2,465.43
Public Works Administration	27,558.00
Parking Meters	8,610.36
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	\$278,010.68

SCHEDULE #117 Form MS-5 1984

Tax Map	1,000.00
Police Pension	32,738.69
Communciations Center	83,533.94
Sidewalk Construction	3,297.73
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	120,570.36

Cemeteries	49,105.37
Property Tax Sale - Interest	7,276.04
Resident Tax Sale - Penalties	3.00
Tax Sale Expense	2,281.25
Auto Permit Refunds	649.00
Dog Payments to the State	368.00
Property Tax Abatements	2,099.32
Ambulance Refunds	72.00
FireTruck	35,000.00
Administrative Assistant	13,199.21
Labor Day	2,500.00
Library Guttering	981.40
Library Asbestos Removal	7,199.00
Historical Society	2,000.00
Nashua Regional Planning	3,610.00
Nashua Solid Waste	1,875.00
West Street Sanitary Sewer	10,000.00
Cell Block Remodelling	6,504.90
Class 4 and 5 Highways	82,673.73
Oval Bridge - guard rails	16,000.00
Curtis/Gibbons land purchase	15,000.00
Conservation Commission	3,000.00
Nashua Community Council	5,000.00
St. Joseph - Meals on Wheels	6,950.00
Smoke and Heat Detection Alarm System	1,341.00
Souhegan Valley Association for Handicapped	1,000.00
Yield Tax Deposit Refunds	87.15
Withheld Group Insurance	(47.44)
Reserve Fund balance	61,927.47
Tax payer Refunds	3,555.08
Interest - Property Related	50.09
Dog - Tax Collector	347.50
Business License refunds	6.00
Railroad Crossing	3,868.00
Building Inspection refunds	62.50
Planning Board fee refunds	141.79
Board of Adjustment fee refunds	64.30
Parking Meter expense	9,321.60
BandConcerts	18.72
FICA Disability withheld (3rd party payor)	322.69
Police Pension Refund of overpayment to State	36.00
Withheld Health Insurance	616.75
Scarborough Performance Bond plus interest	23,649.91
Keyes Tennis Fund	561.08
Money Market Expense	28.65
Miscellaneous expenses	265.00
Other	5.00

\$380,576.06

Protection of Persons and Property

- Ambulance Service
- Fire Department
- Police Department

Communication Center

1984 saw numerous changes at the Communications Center. After 12 years of dedicated service to the Milford Police Department and the Communications Center, Guy Franklin retired as director of the Milford Communications Center. John Gasper resigned as assistant director to devote more time to his business. On behalf of the Communications Center, I would like to wish Guy and John all the best, and thanks to both for giving so much of themselves to the betterment of the community.

For the past two years, requests for service from the police, fire, and ambulance departments have been increasing at a very rapid pace. The Milford Communications Center serves the towns of Milford, Amherst, Wilton and Mont Vernon along with mutual aid and support to neighboring towns. The calls at the Communications Center will continue to increase as the area population increases. In order to keep up with the growth in the area, the Communications Center will have to grow, make improvements and changes to meet the demand from the public, and ensure that the community receives proper service.

The Communications Center is a very important part of the service provided by the police, fire, and ambulance departments. Through public awareness programs and with the continued support from the community, the communications staff of professional and dedicated personnel will achieve its goal to provide the public with the very best service and to make the Milford Communications Center second to none.

GERALD R. PIERCE, Director
Milford Communications Center

Volunteer Ambulance Service

The Milford Volunteer Ambulance Service has completed 11 years of service to the residents of Milford. We provide emergency medical care and transport. Patients are transported to the Milford Medical Center, or to hospitals or medical facilities in Nashua, Manchester, or Peterborough. We will transport to hospitals outside this area if a physician requests an emergency transport. Non-emergency transports may be requested through the directors, with 24 hour advance notice. Such non-emergency transports are then dependent upon availability of crew and ambulance.

In order to defray operating expenses of the Ambulance Service, the Town of Milford charges a \$30.00 fee per call and \$1.00 a loaded mile outside the Nashua area. In 1984 this nominal fee led to \$12,732 of income back to the town.

Of our 30 members, we have 8 Advanced First Aiders, 18 Emergency Medical Technicians (100 hour course), 1 R.N. and 3 EMT-Intermediates (with advanced skills of MAST, EDA, and I.V.). All members retrain in Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) annually. The service meetings

are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays of every month in our quarters in the lower level of the Town Hall on Middle Street.

Each member meets the challenge of improving knowledge and skills through continued training and practical review. Each member is required to cover scheduled duty time, including weekends. New members are supported and assisted as they gain knowledge and experience.

Presently, the service is able to provide two crews/ambulances during nights and weekends, and one crew/ambulance during the daytime hours of 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. We encourage citizens to join the service, especially to complement the daytime crews.

Our volunteers also stand by at football games, town events as requested, and provide lectures and training in first aid and CPR for community or school groups.

1984 has been an eventful year for the service, with an increase in calls of 22%, the arrival of the new ambulance and subsequent training of personnel to man the new vehicle.

We thank the citizens of Milford for their continued support. We also thank our families for their emotional support and understanding of our commitment to provide quality emergency care to our community. "We are here for life!"

PEGGY SEWARD, Chairperson

KEITH CARMEN

SETH CANTER

Directors

KATHY GILMAN, Secretary

AMBULANCE CALLS FOR THE YEAR 1984

Home Illness or Injury	221
Highway Accident	80
Outdoor Injury	27
Industrial	41
School	7
Nursing Home	21
Transfers	6
Doctor's Office	7
Medical Center Transfers- + 32.5%	197
Patients Transported	607
Assistance/No Transport	56
Total Calls for Ambulance- + 22%	663
41 Transported	569
42 Transported	38

Police Department

The Milford Police Department's goal for 1985 is to maintain a professional, efficient and courteous department.

Our K-9 unit, composed of Officer Doug Dowd and Fox, a German Shepherd, was established in 1983, and has proved to be a very valuable police tool.

Fox assisted us in the arrests of several felonies in progress, including a burglar that was apprehended inside Dr. Law's office.

In 1984, we brought still another dimension to the department by adding an underwater rescue team at no cost to the town. The team of Officers Doug and Mike Dowd took the scuba diving course on their own time and at their own expense, and have also purchased their own equipment.

The Scuba Diving Team has already recovered three stolen vehicles that were in one of Milford's quarries.

Having a trained scuba diving team on-call could be invaluable in drownings. Sometimes, quick response can even make the difference between life and death, as in the recent case of a Chicago boy who survived a sledding accident after about a half hour under the ice.

Our Crime Prevention Unit, formed in 1984, had a very busy first year. They have done several crime prevention programs in our community during the past 12 months, including neighborhood watch, a bicycle safety program, bicycle rodeo and a child sexual abuse program.

Since Exeter's tragedy, we have done several "Officer Bill" Programs in our Elementary Schools. "Officer Bill" (Mike White) encouraged safety awareness in the students, warned them about avoiding strangers and making sure that their parents are aware of their whereabouts at all times.

Last fall, with the assistance of the V.F.W. and the Milford Jaycees, we again, fingerprinted children of the town.

Now for some bad news. Our police department is stretched too thin and crimes of violence are increasing.

Within the past few months, we have had two armed robberies, a rape, a knifing and several assaults against police officers.

Looking at our town's growth, I don't see this crime situation getting any better. Right now we have about 1,200 more apartments, condominiums and private homes either in the process of being built or in the planning stages. Our business community is also growing at a rapid pace.

Presently, besides myself and Det. Paul Conti, we have only 10 officers to cover three shifts, seven days a week. We usually divide the town in half with one officer in a cruiser covering each sector... providing there are no emergencies like a fire, a burglary or an accident.

Officers have to cover the slack for days off, sick time, training time and vacation periods, and they sometimes have to pull double duty to do it.

They patrol the town, cover accidents, domestic disturbances, traffic and other routine matters.

The person who calls in about a missing dog is every bit as concerned about his problem as the person calling about an armed robbery.

Obviously, the latter has to take precedence, but that isn't always

understood by the upset pet owner. We try to let everyone know that we care about them and their problems but we don't always have the manpower to do it as well as we'd like. The paperwork for a single accident or arrest, averages a minimum of two hours. Preparing for and going to court adds up too.

To cover the town properly, I feel that we need three additional officers this year. However, I realize that Milford is facing a lot of expenses right now, including perhaps, a new library, possibly a new well, among other things, that will add to the tax rate. So I am requesting only two officers.

I am very much concerned that we are able to provide the necessary police protection the residents of the town want and deserve.

We desperately need a juvenile officer, since most of our crimes are being committed by juveniles. I'd like to have a full time walking officer on the oval to handle walk-in complaints, check the parking meters and clear the way for emergency vehicular traffic in the center of town. The Juvenile Officer could also relieve some of the strain on our patrol unit by filling in where there is a shift vacancy.

I would like to give special thanks to the VFW Harley Sanford Post 4368, and its auxiliary and the Milford Lioness Club for their donations to several of our crime prevention programs.

On behalf of the department, I would like to thank (Sarooch) Rosario Ricciardi, and the Board of Selectmen, the Budget Committee, Administrative Assistant Lee Mayhew and, especially, the citizens of the town of Milford, for giving us the support that you have given us in 1984. We are looking forward to serving you in 1985.

STEVEN C. SEXTON, Chief of Police

Fire Department

1984 has been a year of progress for the Milford Fire Department. At the March Town Meeting \$127,000 was voted to purchase a new pumper. The Department purchased a new 1250 gpm Mack pumper with a 1000 gallon tank. This pumper replaced the 1963 International 750 gpm pumper. Because of this purchase, Engine Company 3 was made a twelve man company, up four men from its previous eight, the same as the other three companies. This brought the total manpower of the Department to 51 men.

A warrant article was also passed for electric door openers. The openers have been installed and have helped to save on fuel costs, as they are set to close automatically.

In March our 1957 American LaFrance Ladder truck was returned to service after having been out of service for about three months while it was repowered by the Bell Detroit Co. of Middletown, Conn. The company did an excellent job in refurbishing the truck. Although it is not a new piece, it should continue to provide the town with a serviceable piece of equipment for several years.

Training took a major step forward with the acquisition of a used

mobile home which was placed on the site of the old dump. Members of the Department then proceeded to plan and construct a three story training tower adjacent to the mobile home. This tower required many man hours to construct. Ninety-nine percent of the materials used were donated by local lumber yards, contractors and other area businesses. We hope to put the finishing touches on it this year, including a coat of stain. All members of the Department have received training in search and rescue under heavy smoke conditions, at this facility. This training was all but impossible prior to the training site.

Several new members are taking the Basic Fire Fighter course (104 hours) given by members of our own Department who are certified instructors.

The March 1985 Town Meeting will find the Department requesting a sum of \$35,000 to be added to the Capital Reserve Fund. A request is in the budget for a part-time secretary. The work-load of typing, issuance of permits, answering telephone calls, questions from townspeople and the general day to day activities have now reached a point where volunteer help cannot keep up with it. A request is in for \$10,000 from the Revenue Sharing Program to purchase a new "Jaws of Life" to replace one that is in need of repair and quickly becoming unreliable. Also an article for \$10,000 to paint the interior of the station. The station is a little over 10 years old and in need of a complete washing and painting.

Fire prevention continues at a very active pace with the review of site plans, building plans, inspections, programs and education. If you would like an inspection of your home or business, please call the Department for an appointment.

Smoke detectors, fire extinguishers and EDITH (Exit Drills In The Home) have proven in the past that they do save lives.

At the annual November pay night Chief Dominic A. Calvetti announced that he would be retiring effective the March 1985 Town Meeting. He has served the town for 37 years. He has seen a new station built and the upgrading of a majority of the apparatus during his tenure as Chief. Dom's daily presence at the station will be sorely missed.

During the summer, a member from (ISO) Insurance Service Office spent a week in the town examining the Fire Department, Water Department and Communications Center. This examination was used in the preparation of the insurance rates for the town. We did not receive the results until early January, 1985. These results showed that all of our cooperative efforts paid off. The town rating went from a 6 to a 4. This will mean considerable savings in insurance premiums, especially in the town, school, commercial and industrial areas.

We the Board of Firewards thank the men of the Department for their continued interest, support and cooperation. The townspeople can be proud of the professional way in which you go about the task of protecting them.

A call department can function because men are able to respond at a second's notice. Thank you to all businesses and industries who allow their employees to answer alarms during business hours. The continued help and support which we receive from the Police, Ambulance, Public Works, Communications Center, Mutual Aid Departments, local business (food donations during larger fires), the District Forest Ranger, and the State Fire Marshal's office is most gratifying.

In today's inflationary and energy-conscious society, where all of us are trying to save, we ask you to STOP, THINK, and if need ASK so that we "Don't Lose Lives Saving Time and Energy."

DOMINIC A. CALVETTI, Chief
STEPHEN L. SEARS, Deputy Chief
RICHARD P. TORTORELLI, Deputy Chief

MUTUAL AID GIVEN		Investigations	27
Wilton	8	Dumpster	2
Amherst	2	Electrical	4
Mont Vernon	3	Rescue	5
MUTUAL AID RECEIVED		Lightning Strike	3
Wilton	8	Gasoline Spills	21
Amherst	2	Washing Machine & Clothes Dryer	2
Brookline	1	Dump	8
Mont Vernon	2	Car Fires	19
INCIDENT BREAKDOWN		Saw Mill	1
Structure	5	Oil Burner	2
Chimney	19	Sprinkler & Low Water Pressure	2
Accidental - Needless	8	Inspections	83
Stove and Food on Stove	15	Mail Box Fire	1
False Alarms	9	Stand-by Snow Storm	1
Bomb Scare	3	Grass & Brush	4
Faulty Alarms	14		

Forest Fire Warden and State Forest Ranger

Our first forest fire prevention law was enacted by our State Legislature 90 years ago. This early law set in place a cooperative forest fire prevention and suppression effort between city and town governments and state government. It simply stated that no open fire could be kindled, when the ground is free of snow, without the written permission of the town/city Forest Fire Warden. This law also stated that anyone kindling a fire without written permission shall be liable for the damage caused and subject to a \$1000 fine.

During the past 90 years, this law has worked so well that it has remained unchanged. All open fires when the ground is not covered with snow must be authorized by the local Forest Fire Warden. Persons kindling a fire without a permit when one is required are liable for damages caused, fire suppression costs and subject to a \$1000 fine.

This cooperative fire prevention law has contributed significantly to our nationally recognized annual forest fire loss record.

1984 Statistics

	State	District	City/Town
No. of Fires	875	169	4
No. of Acres	335	67	2

Wastewater Treatment Report

January 1982 saw the Milford Wastewater Treatment Plant come on line with an average daily flow of 350,000 gallons per day. At the end of 1984 flow was averaging 1.3 million gallons per day. In 1984 the flow increased over 30%. The Town of Wilton accounts for 11% of the wastewater flow and is responsible for 11% of the operating budget. Treatment of 1.3 million gallons of sewage daily results in the production of approximately 40 cubic yards of sludge weekly or 2,080 yards annually. Recognizing the need for additional operating personnel at the facility, the voters in 1984 supported our request for a maintenance mechanic and part-time secretary.

On April 12, 1984, by decision of the Board of Selectmen, the Wastewater Treatment Plant was incorporated under the Department of Public Works. The Director of Public Works is to handle the upper level administrative functions of the plant. This structure has worked well to date with the two departments working well together. The Public Works Director has recognized the needs of the plant and given us his support. Robert Courage has been very instrumental in obtaining approval of the construction grant amendment for sludge composting.

This year we experienced our first treatment process upset due to industrial wastes entering the treatment plant. As a result, we were unable to meet our effluent discharge permit for an extended period of time. For this reason we are making a request in 1985 to develop an industrial pretreatment program.

Catamount Construction Company has completed nearly all of their obligations under the plant construction contract. In 1984 we received additional support under the contract for improvements to the treatment facility. The major items addressed were: (1) facilities to remove floating materials from the final clarifiers. (2) additional process piping on the sludge and septage facilities. (3) correction of floor drainage deficiencies.

In 1984 we saw the need for a long term solution to our sludge disposal problem. The present sludge landfill is more than one-half full and filling rapidly. We aggressively pursued a request for a construction grant amendment for the design and construction of sludge composting facilities. Late in 1984, having recognized our problems, the Federal EPA granted approval of the amendment. An article will be presented to the voters in 1985 to authorize the construction of the facility.

During 1984 we experienced many costly failures of the drive units on the Raw Sewage Pumps. Having identified the problem, we will ask the voters to allow a change to a more efficient and reliable drive system.

On the brighter side are two cost saving items that have been incorporated into the operation of the treatment plant. The installation of automatic valves on the air blowers reduced our electricity costs by \$100.00 per day. The use of insulation on the air vents has reduced our consumption of fuel oil by nearly 7,000 gallons annually. Recognition is made to the treatment plant personnel as they are the ones to develop, install and follow through the ideas to completion.

In order to protect the town's investment in the treatment plant, the following will highlight the increases in the 1985 budget: An additional person to carry out the preventative maintenance program and fill in for

plant operations as required due to increased flows. Additional office equipment is needed. As the machinery in the plant ages, more monies are expended on maintenance and repairs. Maintenance tools not supplied with the plant are needed to perform repairs and insure that all equipment used in the treatment process remains operational. Due to increased wastewater flows, more chemicals and materials are needed to treat the wastewater and provide for sludge disposal. Additional supplies are needed for adequate laboratory testing.

STEVEN C. DOLLOFF

Administrative Assistant

The first day for the Administrative Assistant was June 28th, 1984. Initially, time was spent reviewing and learning the procedures of our Town government and meeting with and being briefed by the department heads. During the ensuing months various areas have occupied the focal point of attention such as possible contamination of the brooks in the Armory Road area, the closing out process for the Town Sewer Project, the enforcement of the Town's noise ordinance, no through trucking, and all of the issues related to water and to growth.

Some have asked what function does the Administrative Assistant perform. I believe there are three primary areas: first, the Administrative Assistant can relieve the Selectmen of a majority of their administrative responsibilities, and allow them to focus their energies on the formulation of policies and procedures; second, the Assistant can develop practices which allow the town's people easier access to information, and can help to solve complaints or answer questions in an expedient manner; thirdly, the Assistant can act as a point of coordination for staff, departments, boards and others. My own philosophy is that I am available and willing to work with all. I am only a phone call away and my office is always open.

I thank the citizens of the Town for all the help and information they have given to me and I look forward to working with you during 1985.

Lee F. Mayhew, Administrative Assistant

Numbering Committee

During 1984, the Milford Numbering Committee progressed well, although not as much was completed as anticipated. Two factors contributed to the decline in progress. Our first problem was the lack of active committee members. Any work session requires a minimum of three people. Since this was the total membership, if one person was unable to attend, the meeting was cancelled. The other factor has been the astonishing growth of the town. Many building contractors now contact the committee prior to completion of a project so that the assigned numbers will not change with implementation of the system. Consequently, much time was spent on buildings which did not even exist. The systematic numbering of Milford's currently occupied structures suffered.

ANNE ADAMS, chairman
STEVE FLAMMIA
KATHY GILMAN

Wadleigh Memorial Library

1984 has been another busy year at the library. Circulation was high and the overall usage of the library has been strong. Increasingly the library is becoming not just a source of recreational reading or a place for students to do homework, but a community information center. The eighties have become the information decade and the increased demands put on the library are reflecting this fact. Patron requests for information of all kinds have persistently challenged library resources and staff alike. Trying to meet current demands and anticipate those of the future have been a major concern this past year.

Crucial to the library's ability to properly serve the community are not only its materials and staff, but also the adequacy of the building itself. In the almost 35 years since the present library opened its doors, the town has grown tremendously. There has been a corresponding growth in library usage, collection and staff. The current physical plant can no longer efficiently or even sufficiently permit good library service. Coping with the strictures imposed by the building takes frustratingly large amounts of time, energy and ingenuity; factors that should be directed toward improving an expanding library services. This past year a large part of the collection had to be moved from the main reading room to a basement stack area (to avoid unsafe loading of the reading room floor). The move was absolutely necessary, but represents a real disservice and inconvenience to the public. Unfortunately, unless something can be done to enlarge the building, the crowding and inconvenience of the present conditions will only become more exaggerated.

At the March 1984 town meeting a study committee was appointed to assess the library's space problems and to examine possible solutions. The committee is to be commended for its hard work and the thoroughness of its investigation. Its recommendations should be seriously considered by the town.

Reading remains a necessary skill even in this electronic age and good reading habits are best developed in childhood. Bringing children and books together remains a focus of library planning. To this end, children's programming has continued to be an important element of the services offered to the community. Children's librarian Elizabeth Holmes has capably directed a wide variety of programs for children and for parents and other adults working with children. Storytelling, crafts, music, summer reading program, classroom visits and book talks were just some of the activities available at the library this past year.

1984 saw some major changes in staff. The library reluctantly accepted the resignations of assistant librarian Donna Davies in June and library assistant Erna Johnson in August. Both had demonstrated ability, competence and a real willingness to serve the people of Milford. Replacements were found by fall: Judy Warren as library assistant and Mary Anne Doyle as assistant librarian. Ms. Doyle had had a broad background in library work and has completed several courses towards her M.L.S. Both she and Mrs. Warren are welcome and able additions to the staff.

The Librarian would like to take this opportunity to express her appreciation and thanks to the many individuals and organizations who

have so generously expressed their support for the library this past year. Thanks are also due to the library staff and the Board of Trustees for all their hard work.

ANNA KJOSS

Librarian

Library Treasurer's Report

DECEMBER 31, 1984

Expenditures

LIBRARY SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT

Gaylord Charger	\$ 195.00
Petty Cash	0.00
Binding	126.90
Postage	554.00
Processing Supplies	1,293.44
New Equipment	1,743.00
Equipment Maintenance	123.09
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	4,035.43

LIBRARY MEDIA

Books	16,462.00
Periodicals	3,196.24
Audio Visual	622.50
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	20,280.74

OPERATING EXPENSE/MISC.

Library Education/Dues	302.51
Children's Programming	140.50
Summer Program	0.00
Memorial Flowers	17.00
Grounds Beautification	58.59
Hillstown Coop - Charges	145.00
Advertising	394.58
Telephone	641.60
Electricity	2,042.48
Fuel	3,131.76
Water & Sewer	193.50
Snow Removal	31.11
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	7,098.63

SALARIES	
Librarian	18,898.88
Assistant Librarian	12,079.24
Children's Librarian	8,065.23
Library Assistants	16,994.15
Pages	3,227.70
FICA	4,362.61
Unemployment	444.72

64,072.53

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Custodian's Salary	3,747.83
Cleaning Supplies	244.31
Miscellaneous Repairs	1,647.52
Fire Alarm System	115.00

5,754.66

Total Expenditures Paid 101,241.99

REVENUES COLLECTED

Miscellaneous	5.00
Trust Funds	25,257.63
Keyes Fund	300.00
Town Appropriation	75,508.00
Int. on Checking Account	302.80
Contributions	630.00
Book Sale	105.00
Unappropriated Surplus	0.00

102,108.43

Beginning Cash Balance 5,976.28

Ending Cash Balance 6,842.72

FINE ACCOUNT (1)

Balance, January 1, 1984 \$1,615.93

Receipts:

Fines collected by the staff and deposited by the librarian	4,227.52
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Total 5,843.45

Disbursements:

Purchase of books, prints & tapes	4,262.33
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Balance December 31, 1984 \$1,581.12

COPY FUND (2)

Balance, January 1, 1984 \$ 751.10

Receipts:

Copy fees deposited by the librarian	\$1,272.73	
Interest income	16.89	1,289.62
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		2,040.72

Disbursements:

Supplies, toner & service contract	1,002.70	
Bank fees	8.00	1,010.70
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Balance, December 31, 1984		\$1,030.02
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TRUSTEES ACCOUNTS (3)

Balances, January 1, 1984	\$3,554.82
Interest income	191.92

Balance, December 31, 1984	<hr/>	\$3,746.74
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- (1) Restricted to the purchase of books, art or tapes.
- (2) Restricted to costs associated with the copy machine and its replacement.
- (3) Contributions to the Trustees to be used as the Trustees deem necessary.

Submitted by the Treasurer
 MERVIN D. NEWTON, Treasurer

Library Resources

Wadleigh Library 1984 Circulation**Books:**

Adult	37,737
Juvenile	34,699
Recordings	1,738
Periodicals	6,499
Pamphlets	316
Art Prints	36
Films & Filmstrips	40

Total	<hr/>	81,065
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Interlibrary Loans:

Loaned	953
Borrowed	618

Total	<hr/>	1,571
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New Registrations:

Adults	577
Juvenile	181
Student	75
Non-Resident	23

Total	856
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Library Holdings	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Book Titles - 1/1/84	23,836	9,032	32,868
Purchased			
Book Account	731	457	1,188
Fine Account	95	65	160
Gifts	67	15	82
Lost	145	42	187
Discarded	986	27	1,013
Book Titles - 12/31/84	23,598	9,500	33,098

Periodicals:

Magazine Subs.	131
Gifts	7
Newspapers	8

Total	146
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Records:

Total 1/1/84	850
Purchased	37
Gifts	12
Lost	9
Discarded	5

Total 12/31/84	885
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Cassettes 1/1/84	38
Purchased	64
Discarded	0

Total 12/31/84	102
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Filmstrips 1/1/84	73
Purchased	0
Discarded	0

Total 12/31/84	73
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Art Prints 1/1/84	18
Purchased	3
Discarded	0

Total 12/31/84	21
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Library Trustees

Cramped and inefficient working conditions continue to be the most accurate way to describe the situation at the library. Staff and patrons alike provide and use the services under the continuing restriction of lack of space.

The most important event in the past year was the setting up of the Library Study Committee at the 1984 Town Meeting which led to the creation of a group under the chairmanship of William B. Rotch. After reviewing possible alternate library sites, the committee recommended expansion of the present building in the downtown area.

The needs of the library are real and urgent. We urge every voter to vote to support the expansion plans to be presented at the upcoming Town Meeting.

New library users increased by 856 during the year, a significant number which reflects an ever growing demand. Circulation also increased, although the library was closed for over a week during the removal of the asbestos insulation. Circulation has also been affected by the need to place books in the basement where they are no longer easily available to patrons.

Other events at the library during 1984 included the following:

The continued popularity of the children's program with the inclusion of some evening, "bedtime," story and singing offerings.

The removal of asbestos insulation from the basement and the installation of panic hardware on the fire-escape door of the meeting room, to comply with health and safety regulations.

The library exhibit at the very successful Fair held in March under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce, thanks to the generous support of Aegis Inc. in providing our registration fee.

In addition to staff changes noted in the Librarian's report we regret to report the resignation of Anna Kjoss, as of December 31, 1984. Anna served the library and the town well at a time of great population increase and made many friends in Milford; we shall miss her.

Donna Davies, Assistant Librarian, resigned in July. The Town should take note that her low salary level was one of the principal reasons the Town lost the services of this excellent employee.

Finally, no report would be complete without an expression of appreciation and thanks to all staff members for their tolerance, hard work, and endurance in maintaining the town library services under difficult conditions.

DENISE M. JOHNSON, Chairman
MERVIN D. NEWTON, Treasurer
DEBORAH DRAPER
MARY KELLY CARTER
RONALD N. LINDQUIST
PHILLIP M. SAVAGE

Library Study Committee

When Milford's Wadleigh Memorial Library was dedicated in 1950 it was considered efficient, attractive, and a vast improvement over the rooms previously assigned to the library in the town hall. No one anticipated the growth of the town, the demand for additional library services and the changing concepts of what a library means to the community.

These library needs have been apparent for a number of years and have frequently been discussed at town meeting. In 1984 the meeting voted for a committee "to produce a proposal outlining plans for a new library." This is a summary of the report of that committee.

The committee first studied the requirements of a Milford library. It agreed on 12,000 square feet of floor space. (The present library has about 3800 square feet of usable space.) This expansion would provide for more stacks, a spacious children's room, space for reference material and a reading room, and parking, including parking for the handicapped.

Where would such a library be located? Fifteen possible sites were considered, and rejected for one reason or another. In the end it was agreed that the most feasible plan would be to utilize the present library building, adding additional space. The town already owns the land, the library would be retained in the community center, and there would be economies in retaining the present building.

Library possibilities were discussed with seven architects. The committee was impressed by the abilities and imagination of John Jordan of Hancock, and he was asked to prepare preliminary plans.

The plans include a basement-level children's room, with access at street level, a parking area in the rear, and an elevator providing easy access to the building's three floors. Detailed plans and back-up material from the committee's study are available.

Total cost is estimated at \$950,000 and this is the amount of the bond issue that will be requested at town meeting. Once the project is funded, if it should turn out that federal or state grants for library construction are available, this would reduce the cost of Milford taxpayers.

The study committee consists of:

William B. Rotch, Chairman

Richard D'Amato

Marilyn Kenison

William Petraske

Steven Sexton

Rev. David Clarke

Denise Johnson

Ronald Lindquist

Linda Miles

Dominic Calvetti*

David Carter

May Gaffney**

John Welch***

* Ill health prevented his participation in the decisions

** As an ex officio member of the Board of Selectmen she did not vote

*** Deceased

Nashua Regional Planning Commission

The Nashua Regional Planning Commission continued to provide important local and regional planning services to our twelve member communities in 1984. Milford, in particular, made extensive use of the Commission's staff and services throughout the year.

The Town's major project - the Master Plan - progressed into its final stages through the dedicated efforts of the local Advisory Committee which has been meeting monthly over most of the year. Major sections of the Plan are now completed. Housing and population trends have been analyzed, the road network has been assessed to determine where improvements are needed and to identify the impacts of traffic growth and how they should be handled.

The Committee devoted an extensive amount of time to discussing local land use, including what are the problems, how did they occur, and how can they be stopped from happening again. The result of these discussions are several chapters which present the Committee's recommendations for protecting the Town's natural resources, and for directing land uses to appropriate areas in Town where the least negative impact will be felt. An eight-page opinion survey distributed to one-third of all households in Town was also used to let residents give their opinions on what's good and bad about the Town's recent growth. A proposed future land use map has been prepared and has been used in preparing some of the zoning amendments for this year's Town Meeting. The final Master Plan report is now nearing completion.

In addition to working on the master plan, the Commission staff provided on-call assistance to local officials over the year. Staff assisted the planning board in reviewing three site plan proposals. Comments were provided which helped the Town avoid some potential negative impacts.

The staff also helped the Town in determining how to handle the closing of the Keyes Well and how to plan for a future, safe water supply. Lengthy discussions were also held concerning some long-range planning projects which the Town should undertake to ensure that the town can handle future growth as it occurs.

At the regional level, water quality planning continues to be one of the Commission's highest priorities. The three-year aquifer delineation program will be coming to completion at the end of this year - giving our communities the latest, most accurate groundwater data available anywhere in the state. The program has won state-wide recognition and was awarded the New Hampshire Planners Association Award of Excellence at the Association's Annual Meeting. An \$80,000 groundwater quality study, performed through a grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency was also completed this year, indicating that most of our water supplies still yield high-quality drinking water.

Regional solid waste planning efforts included staff support to the recently formed Nashua Regional Solid Waste District and assistance to all area towns in planning for proper disposal of household septage.

Transportation planning activities included most notably the

assistance to City officials in getting the CITYBUS system operational. Additionally, the Commission's efforts have helped to move major highway projects closer to completion, including the Nashua/Hudson Circumferential Highway; improvements to Exits 7 and 2 along the F.E. Everett Turnpike; and the initiation of studies concerning the future of the Rt. 101A corridor. The other activities included completion of the Nashua Air Quality Study, and the investigation of alternative proposals, for eventual consideration by the legislature, which would enable communities to recoup the costs of road improvements made necessary by incremental development.

The Commission continued to emphasize the expansion of services to members locally, and the expansion of our members influence at regional and state levels. The Commission co-sponsored a joint meeting with our neighboring counterpart in Massachusetts to initiate discussions on common highway and water-related problems. We're now gearing up for the coming legislative session to ensure that the region's interests are duly recognized and represented. Our SOUNDINGS newsletter, DISPATCH memos, and Legislative Alert mailings will continue to keep local residents and officials informed as issues arise.

As always, the Commission stands ready to assist Milford with its planning and administrative needs in the coming year. Call us if we can help you.

Nashua Regional Planning Commission.

THOMAS JOHNSON

PETER LEISHMAN

FRANK MISTRANGELO

KATHLEEN G. MAHER

Town Welfare

Milford is very fortunate to have a developing network of local, state and county resources where we may assist those in need when town assistance does not apply. Special recognition is given to the area churches and their youth clubs, Cub Scout Troops, the Milford and Amherst Middle schools, the M.A.S.H. classes of 1985 and 1986 and their respective advisors, M.A.S.H. Student Council and the many individuals for their gifts to those in troubled circumstances.

As usual, the largest number of requests were for rent assistance. As the area grows, so do rental costs. Because of building costs and the fact that the majority of buildings are electrically heated, a reduction in the rental and fuel costs is not foreseen. There is no low-income housing for young families and none planned in the local area for the future.

Milford is experiencing enormous growing pains and with it will come a variety of people. Who they are and what their needs may be cannot be estimated. The fact that the area economy has stabilized I do not see a need to increase the budget for Town Poor.

The Old Age Assistance program is determined by the State Division of Welfare. This year, due to erroneous billing and a large increase in case load resulted in the over-expenditure in that account. I am therefore requesting an additional \$3,000 for this account.

The Nashua Area Emergency Shelter is operational in Nashua. The shelter exists for qualifying homeless for a maximum three night stay. Guidelines provide a format for acceptability and there are responsibilities placed upon persons seeking shelter. Milford has made some referrals in 1984.

Southern N.H. Services (a Hillsborough County agency) has opened offices at 71 Nashua St. and offers a variety of programs ranging from fuel assistance to services to the elderly.

The Welfare Officer can provide information for the Catastrophic Illness Program, budget and nutrition counseling, job training and retraining, educational and tutoring programs. These programs are for the low or limited income and almost all are available locally.

PATTI Z. HORNE, Welfare Officer

Conservation Commission

The work pace established in 1983 continued to accelerate in 1984. Monthly Commission meetings grow longer as the agenda increases. If meeting minutes are any indication, work has expanded to three times what it was just a few years ago. Furthermore, fulfilling the responsibilities of conservation in light of the incredible rate of construction over the past 18 months has become a very difficult if not overwhelming challenge.

DREDGE & FILL

DRASTIC INCREASE IN APPLICATIONS

Three years ago, the Commission might deal with two or three permit requests per year, none of which represented any significant excavation. In fact, the subject of dredge & fill was usually mentioned under "other activities" in the annual report.

This year however, it deserves top billing as the Commission was involved in 22 dredge & fill applications, three permit violations, and substantial negotiation with various developers. In addition, each request required at least one physical site inspection, and on the average was before the physical site inspection, and on the average was before the Commission for at least three regular meetings before resolution.

SITE SPECIFIC PERMITS

On a related subject, the state has passed legislation pertaining to grade alterations of greater than 100 thousand square feet. A project of this nature may not effect wetlands directly, but nevertheless, due to possible changes to natural drainage patterns, additional permits are required. The commission worked closely with the Planning Board to coordinate efforts to see that the required permits were applied for. The end result is to allow for more careful planning of large projects, and to receive state assistance when needed.

OX BROOK/COMPRESSOR BROOK

The Commission continued its consultation regarding the named brooks and Leisure Village, which went under new ownership for the third time in as many years. A great deal of progress was made this year with the owners full cooperation. Much of the siltation source was brought under control, and other actions were taken to secure the stream bank slope. In addition, the actual stream bed plus wetland holding area was put under Conservation Easement and passed to the town. This helps to secure the area against further damage due to possible future development.

ADDITIONAL EASEMENTS AND ACQUISITIONS

CURTIS/GIBBONS

With the help of the Souhegan Valley Land Trust, the Kaley Foundation and Keyes Fund, Milford completed the purchase of the Curtis/Gibbons property which the town voted funds for in the March 84 meeting. Federal funds covered half the assessed value. However, the actual pur-

chase cost exceeded available funds and the Kaley Foundation stepped in to cover the difference so that the transaction could finally be completed.

TUCKER BROOK PROTECTION

A combination of a land gift and a negotiated conservation easement secured protection for Tucker Brook from Whitten Road north to the 101 Bypass. As the entire stretch is under heavy developmental pressure, the Commission is both relieved that the area could be secured, as well as grateful to the developers who made it possible.

The most significant element was a gift of 25.5 acres of land with over 1,100 feet of stream bank from John Sullivan. The gift includes the major portion of the Tucker Brook steep slope area running north from Whitten road. The Commission on behalf of the town thanks Mr. Sullivan for his active interest in conservation as well as his generosity.

The second part of the lower Tucker Brook protection was a conservation easement of an average 150 foot width protecting both sides of the brook from the 101 bypass south to the Sullivan grant. The easement was negotiated with the developers of the Meadowbrook Industrial Park. The easement insures that no development, excavation or grading will occur within 75 feet of either stream bank.

CARL HOLLAND DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS

Milford was the beneficiary of the generous gift of development rights to his farm by Mr. Carl Holland. Mr. Holland, a former member of the Conservation Commission himself, donated these rights which insures that the farm may not be used for other than agricultural or conservation purposes.

The process of development rights purchase was instituted by the state several years ago to protect prime agricultural resources in Rockingham and Hillsborough counties. Rapid development in the southern tier had caused an alarming rate of agricultural land loss. However the state program ran out of funds. The Commission had been instrumental in securing state approval for two farms under this program before the funds were exhausted.

Mr. Holland's gift represents both a great asset to the town, as well as testimony to his long standing personal commitment to Milford.

BEQUEST

ESTATE OF RUTH NEES

The Milford Conservation Commission was the recipient of a \$5,000 bequest from the estate of Ruth Nees. The funds are to be used for the furthering of conservation matters and the beautification of Milford. The Commission has elected to hold the estate in high yield certificates and will use the interest towards the stated uses. In this way, the bequest will ultimately provide benefits greater than its face value.

In the future, the Commission hopes to add to this fund which would guarantee annual proceeds to initiate special projects, such as continuation of the tree planting effort of Elm Street.

GREEN BELT

PROPERTY OVERLAYS

The Commission acquired acetate map overlays to the same scale as the Town soils maps. The new overlays indicate property boundaries and

will serve many purposes, not the least of which is evaluating developmental impact on wetlands, identifying town owned lands, and indicating priority acquisitions.

GREEN BELT COMMITTEE

The Commission sent out a request for volunteers for a Green Belt Committee whose purpose it would be to make recommendations for future uses and actions concerning the town owned lands. Several citizens have come forward to serve, but more help is needed. More details regarding the Milford Green Belt occur elsewhere in the town report.

DEVELOPMENT OF PROPOSED RULES

The effectiveness of the Commission depends upon three factors: (1) willingness of volunteers to donate their time and efforts, (2) funding provided by the town which allows the Commission to carry out its duties, and (3) appropriate laws and ordinances which protect the areas to be conserved.

In light of the above, Milford is fortunate to have so many concerned citizens willing to work for the benefit of the town. Funding for the Commission has in the past been adequate for day to day functions, but has not provided the ability to act quickly when targeted property is put up for sale. Lastly, laws and ordinances need to be either modified or developed to clearly establish the framework under which conservation efforts will succeed.

With these objectives in mind, the Commission has developed two proposals for this year's town meeting.

(1) A proposed zoning ordinance which will establish a 75 foot buffer zone around prime designated wetlands. The current laws allow for work without dredge & fill permit to occur right to the edge of wetland. This has caused numerous problems in past years, and the Commission is in a very weak position to protect the wetlands against damage.

(2) A request to establish a land acquisition fund. Last year this did not pass, with the comment that when the Commission becomes aware of desirable land, funds may be voted at town meeting. However, not all land waits for the March meeting, and in fact, a small piece of property, located in the town Green Belt was sold for development before the town had a chance to act.

The Commission resubmits this year. The fund, if established may be augmented annually. What funds are not used may be carried over, as allowed under state RSAs pertaining to Conservation Commissions. This fund will give the Commission the ability to act quickly in the town's interest, or, if carried over, will eventually produce a fund sufficient to generate a high rate of interest for the purpose of property purchase. The land acquisition fund would offer two long range benefits. First, the town would have a better chance of achieving its conservation goals, and, second, by funding land acquisition in smaller amounts over a longer period, the impact on the tax base would be lessened.

SITE BONDING

Several instances of violation of Dredge & Fill permits were noted this year. Since an area once destroyed, cannot be "fixed," the Commission has recommended that the Planning Board consider appropriate site bonding to cover wetland protection and agreed actions when applicable.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Efforts continue to correct the leak in Osgood Pond dam
- Two Milford youths were sponsored for Conservation Camp
- Study continued regarding an effective and practical way to establish signs to designate town owned land and the Osgood Wildlife Sanctuary
- The Commission provided input for the creation of the Building Permit Punch List
- Reviewed with Selectmen regarding disposition of Queen Quarry; recommendation to retain the property
- Hired Conservation Aid for part-time summer work

RUSSELL N. MONBLEAU, JR., CHAIRMAN
Milford Conservation Commission

Conservation Commission

Financial Statement For the Year Ending December 31st, 1984

Beginning Balance at January 1st, 1984:

NOW Checking Account	579.44
Land Certificate of Deposit	11,471.16
Savings Account	3,061.33

Total Beginning Balance

\$15,111.93

INCOME:

Interest Earned:

1. Land Certificate of Deposit	146.75
2. NOW Account	81.66
3. Land Savings Account	53.17
4. Unrestricted Savings Account	167.19

Total Interest Earned	448.77
Donations	1,000.00
Town Appropriation	3,000.00
Souhegan Valley Land Trust - Curtis/Gibbons Land	58,801.24
Proctor & Greene - Curtis/Gibbons Land	22.55
State of New Hampshire - Curtis/Gibbons	33,000.00

Emerson Park Fund Reimbursement -		
Summer Labor	200.00	
Town of Milford - Curtis/Gibbons Land	15,000.00	
Ruth Nees Bequest	5,000.00	
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TOTAL INCOME:		116,472.56
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TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE:		131,584.49
DISBURSEMENTS:		
Souhegan Valley Land Trust -		
Curtis/Gibbons Land	53,290.00	
William Gibbons	37,301.24	
Charles F. Curtis Trust	28,500.00	
Dues	175.00	
Office Expenses	47.64	
Summer Help	904.00	
Summer Conservation Camp	220.00	
Property Tax Map	40.00	
Registry of Deeds	103.70	
E.F. Greene - Holland Easement	1,035.00	
William Drescher - Curtis/Gibbons Land	69.00	
Charge on Unmatured Certificate of Deposit		
- Curtis/Gibbons Land	94.74	
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TOTAL EXPENSES:		121,780.32
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BALANCE AT DECEMBER 31st, 1984:		\$9,804.17

RECAPITULATION:

NOW Checking Account	84.62
Unrestricted Savings Account	4,228.52
Land Savings Account	491.03
Ruth Nees Bequest Certificate	
of Deposit	5,000.00
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	\$9,809.17

LORRAINE CARSON, Treasurer
Milford Conservation Commission

Milford's Green Belt

Considerable progress was made in 1984 toward development of the Green Belt conservation area in the southwest section of town. Two new acquisitions added about 60 acres to the total, and connected isolated sections. (See map.) The Green Belt now includes approximately 250 acres.

The new pieces of land (Gibbons and Curtis) were acquired thanks to the help of the Federal government, the Keyes Fund, the Kaley Trust, private gifts, the Town, and the Souhegan Valley Land Trust. The Trust, incidentally, initiated the purchases and organized all the necessary paper work and the financing.

The Green Belt is a permanent conservation area for use of townspeople. The original land, known as the Savage Farm, was once considered as the site of a reservoir for the town's water supply. This idea may be considered again in the future, and if so, the town now owns the land and adjacent areas as well.

The long range Green Belt goal is a protected natural preserve running from the town line at McGettigan Road, all the way east to Osgood pond. Chiefly such land would not be highly developable, but would offer a rich resource of woodland, brooks, a pond, a swampy area, and even some man-made structures — granite dams — which date back a couple of hundred years. Clearly, much more land should be acquired to complete this project. The town would then have a remarkable nature area accessible to nearly every citizen.

In order to make this land useful to hikers, skiers, campers, etc., it must be properly marked out and trails cut. A committee is being formed for this purpose, but more members are needed. If you wish to take part, notify Mrs. Carson of the Conservation Commission (Selectmen's Office.)

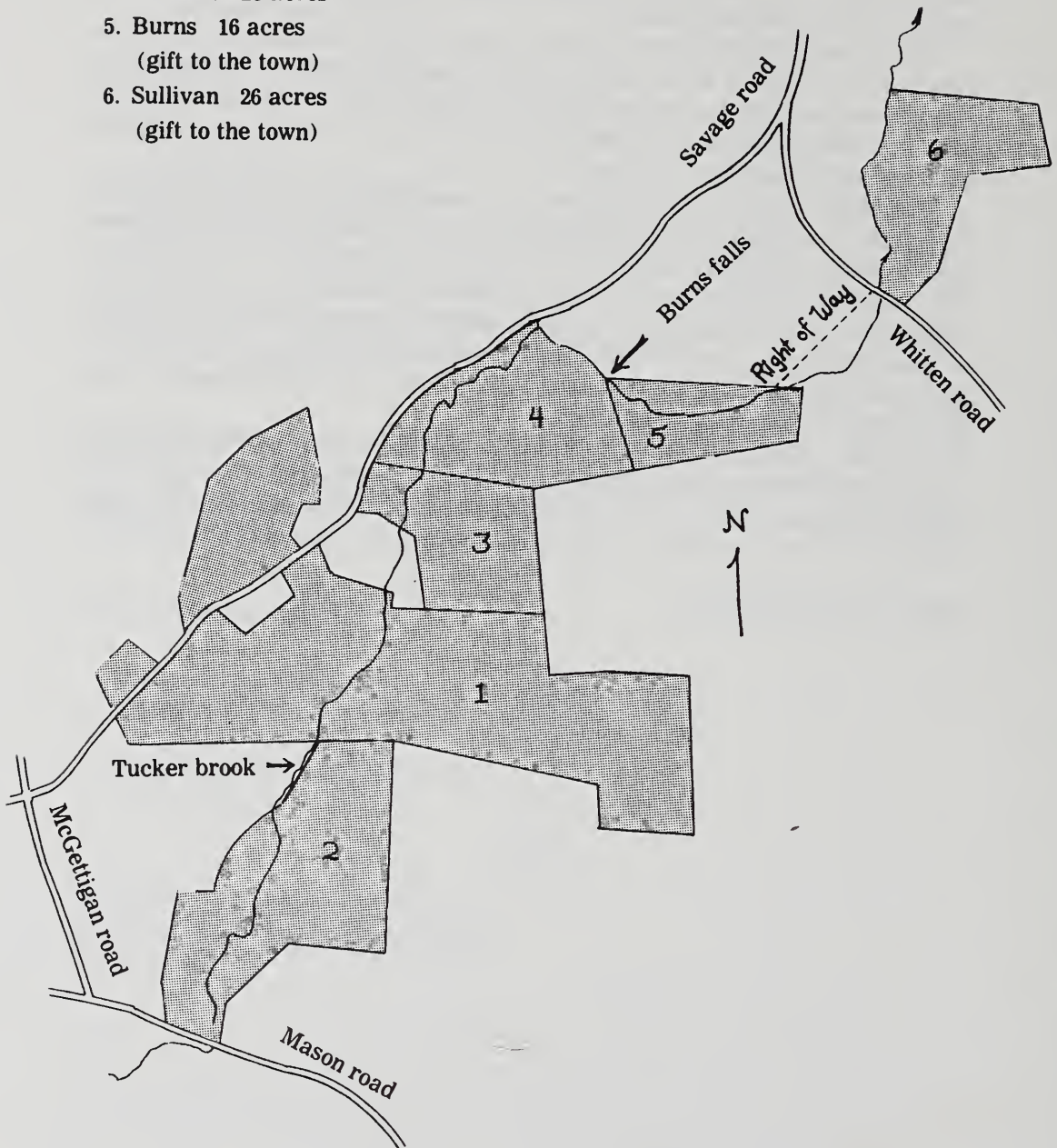
WILLIAM FERGUSON

GREEN BELT LAND IN MILFORD

This sketch shows town-owned conservation land in the southwest area of town, known as the Green Belt.

Key (shaded areas are town-owned)

1. Savage Farm 106 acres
2. Goodridge 41 acres
3. Curtis 22 acres
4. Gibbons 26 acres
5. Burns 16 acres
(gift to the town)
6. Sullivan 26 acres
(gift to the town)



Milford Planning Board

The year has been rather hectic, but with the all out effort by the members of the board we were able to meet the challenger.

We have been faced with one of the largest periods of growth in the history of the town. As other towns and cities in the southern part of the state are running out of available land, the developers have moved westward into Milford. This has resulted in the building of apartments and condos in various sections of town. Several of these projects had been approved several years ago, and for financial reasons had been delayed.

The town could use some low cost and elderly housing. But the cost of land and the lack of federal funding has just about eliminated this type of housing. The board, with the help of some spirited citizens, have been meeting twice a month for the past two years working on getting the Master Plan in place. We will be presenting the Plan to the voters for their reactions soon. We realize that we will not meet with everyone's approval, but we must have a starting point, and go on from there. The Plan must continually be updated, it can't be put on the shelf and forgotten.

We are indebted to Walter Warren, a member of the Nashua Regional Planning Board Staff, for his guidance in directing this project along with several members of their staff.

The board is submitting to the voters a number of zoning changes that have been predicated by the Master Plan and others by the updating of our zoning ordinances. We hope that the voters will support these changes that the board is requesting. The board wishes to thank the staff at town hall, the Board of Selectmen, Public Works Department and the Fire Department for their cooperation during the past year.

FRANCIS W. MISTRANGELO
Chairman

Board of Adjustment

In 1984, The Board of Adjustment handled twenty-five cases (2 - Appeals from Administrative Decisions; 13 - Variances; 10 - Special Exceptions). Disposition being as follows: 18 - Granted; 4 - Denied; 1 - postponed; 1 - rescheduled for 1985; and 1 - withdrawn.

Several planning sessions were held with the Board of Selectmen and the Planning Board which were very beneficial to the Board's operation. The Board has become increasingly concerned with the number of cases dealing with wetland usage.

We look forward to the acceptance of the Master Plan and the resulting changes to the Zoning Ordinance.

ROBERT ODELL, Chairman

EXPENDITURES:

Labor	\$1,006.91
Advertising	1,354.03
Office Supplies	531.46
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TOTAL	\$2,892.40
APPROPRIATION	\$3,082.00
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BALANCE	\$ 189.60

Town Clerk

DOG ACCOUNT

11	1983 Dog Licenses Issued	\$ 16.10
679	1984 Dog Licenses Issued	2,733.80
3	1984 Kennel Licenses Issued	125.00
	1984 Dog Penalties Collected	158.00
11	Extra Dog Tags Issued @ .25¢	2.75
	Dog Fines Assessed and Collected	65.00
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	Paid Town Treasurer	\$3,100.65

AUTO ACCOUNT

Auto Permits Issued January 1 through December 31, 1984

679	January	\$ 29,209.00
651	February	30,047.00
797	March	34,698.00
1011	April	42,395.00
955	May	41,560.00
934	June	43,889.00
891	July	41,351.00
920	August	46,119.00
739	September	41,117.00
843	October	41,857.00
746	November	39,121.00
717	December	37,687.00
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9883	Paid Town Treasurer	\$469,050.00

WILFRED A. LEDUC, Town Clerk

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Cash on hand January 1, 1984		\$ 1,046,049.36
1984 Property Tax	4,579,755.19	
1984 Property tax interest	685.14	
1983 Property Tax	617,770.65	
1983 Property tax interest	31,610.93	
1982 & Prior property tax	1,847.30	
1982 & Prior property tax interest	1,754.47	
1984 Yield taxes	9,544.54	
1984 Yield tax interest	6.29	
1983 Tax Sales Redeemed	36,973.66	
1983 Tax Sales Redeemed interest	1,562.10	
1982 Tax Sales Redeemed	52,661.21	
1982 Tax Sales Redeemed interest	9,542.87	
1981 & Prior tax sales redeemed	51,179.51	
1981 & Prior tax sales redeemed interest	16,904.47	
1984 Resident taxes	48,080.00	
1984 Resident taxes penalties	331.00	
1983 Resident taxes	9,110.00	
1983 Resident taxes penalties	912.00	
1982 & Prior resident taxes	200.00	
1982 & Prior resident taxes penalties	20.00	5,470,451.33
National Bank Tax		3,788.87
Boat Taxes		2,009.00
Dog Taxes		3,075.40
Current Land Use		36,820.00
Motor Vehicle Permits		469,050.00
Business licenses permits		9,142.86
Income From State	244,972.15	
Highway Block Grant	86,701.73	
Ambulance	900.00	
TRA "A" Refund	43,123.18	
N. H. Block Grant	244,967.55	
Misc. Forest Land	15.25	620,679.86
Election & Registration		287.50
R. R. Crossing		3,868.00
Ambulance Capital Reserve		30,783.00
Capital Reserve - Fire Pumper		82,000.00
Long Term Loan FHA		258,447.00
Board of Selectmen:		
Ambulance Service	12,700.32	
Traffic Fund	513.90	
Police Department	22,080.71	
Town Offices	333.30	
Town Histories	405.00	
Water Account	56,779.75	
Communication Center	57,283.08	
Town Poor	21.40	
Cemeteries	38,521.11	
Civil Defense	1,413.28	
Fire Department	2,502.00	192,553.85

Other Departments:

Parks & Playgrounds	389.03	
Building inspection	61,663.23	
Town Buildings	226.54	
Board of Adjustment	1,644.65	
Planning Board	6,912.23	
Transfer Station	135,726.91	
Highway maintenance - summer	1,622.54	
Highway maintenance - winter	3,126.00	
Sewer Maintenance	28,065.76	
Sewer Construction	2,465.43	
Public Works Administration	27,558.00	
Parking Meters	<u>8,610.36</u>	278,010.68

District Court		11,959.64
Interest on Investments		74,647.28
NOW Account Interest		5,623.84
Reimbursement from Other Funds		38,850.07
Due from Other Funds		55,000.00
Sale of Equipment		12,531.60
Other Income Misc.		6,902.04
Investments		6,362,382.10
Tax Anticipation Notes		<u>4,150,000.00</u>
Keyes Tennis Courts interest		14.47
Escrow accounts - interest		1,922.53
Scarborough Bond - interest		649.91
Marino Escrow Account - interest		64.43
Money Market Account Fund - interest		<u>45,904.29</u>

Total Debits to all accounts & Starting Balance	\$19,273,468.91
Total Orders from All Accounts	<u>18,301,828.32</u>
Cash Balance December 31, 1984	<u><u>\$ 971,640.59</u></u>

Earmarked and Due:

Withheld group insurance	\$	728.86
Accounts Payable - suppliers		11,195.03
Balance Due Schools		1,795,610.00

Due To Other Funds:

Library	1,357.13	
TRA - B Funds	27,123.18	
Parking Meter Fund	<u>1,361.82</u>	29,842.13
Escrow Fund Deposit		6,637.06
Deferred Revenue - Highway Grant		2,999.73

Reserved Fund Balance:

Maps	386.28	
Master Plan	244.05	
Master Plan	842.65	
Smoke & Heat Alarm	4,084.00	
Highway Grant	<u>1,028.27</u>	6,585.25

1,853,598.06

345,487.72

\$2,199,085.78

Unreserved Fund Balance

Cash in Bank Accounts	971,640.59
Certificates of Deposits	338,000.00
Uncollected Taxes	781,718.07
Unredeemed Taxes	93,009.23
Accounts Receivables	<u>14,717.89</u>
	<u>\$2,199,085.78</u>

SEPTIMA L. GAIDMORE, TREASURER

What the Town is Worth

(Valuation Comparison)

	1983	1984
Land	\$14,740,225	\$15,251,119
Buildings	69,590,810	71,219,006
Public Utilities - Gas	126,050	126,050
Electric	2,164,150	2,164,150
Mobile Homes	1,561,770	2,088,670
Total Valuation before Exemptions	<u>\$88,183,005</u>	<u>\$90,848,995</u>
Less Exemptions		
Elderly	1,006,550	1,325,000
Blind	51,400	45,900
Handicapped	7,400	7,400
Total Exemptions Allowed	<u>1,065,350</u>	<u>1,378,300</u>
Net Valuation for Tax Rate	\$87,117,655	\$89,470,695

Report of Tax Collector

Summary of Warrants

January 1, 1985

DR.

To 1984 Property Tax Levy	\$5,343,571.08
To 1984 Added Property Taxes	2,189.32
To 1984 Bank Stock Levy	3,788.87
To 1984 Current Use Tax Levy	38,670.00
To 1984 Yield Tax Levy	12,222.65
To 1984 Interest Collected	691.43

\$ 5,401,133.35

CR.

By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$4,579,755.19
Bank Stock Taxes	3,788.87
Current Use Taxes	36,820.00
Yield Taxes	9,544.54
Interest Collected	691.43
By Property Taxes Abated	5,232.47
By Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	762,870.97
By Current Use Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	1,850.00
By Yield Taxes Abated	585.00
By Yield Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	2,093.11
By Overpayment of Taxes (Refunded)	(2,098.23)

\$5,401,133.35

DR.

To 1984 Resident Tax Levy	\$56,320.00
To 1984 Resident Taxes Added (527)	5,270.00
To 1984 Resident Penalties Collected	331.00

\$61,921.00

CR.

By Cash Paid town Treasurer:	
Resident Taxes	\$48,080.00
Penalties Collected	331.00
By Resident Taxes Abated	2,210.00
By Resident Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	11,300.00

\$61,921.00

DR.	
To 1983 Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$618,066.66
To 1983 Property Taxes Added	5,666.52
To 1983 Interest Collected	31,438.32
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	\$655,171.50

CR.	
By Cash Paid To Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$617,770.65
Interest Collected	31,438.32
By Property Taxes Abated	6,023.28
By Overpayment of Taxes (Refunded)	(60.75)
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	\$655,171.50

DR.	
To 1983 Resident Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$ 9,940.00
To 1983 Resident Taxes Added (158)	1,580.00
To 1983 Penalties Collected	912.00
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	\$12,432.00

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Resident Taxes	\$ 9,110.00
Penalties Collected	912.00
By Resident Taxes Abated	2,370.00
By Resident Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	40.00
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	\$12,432.00

DR.	
To 1982 Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$1,008.11
To 1982 Interest Collected	103.78
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	\$1,111.89

CR.	
By Cash Paid To Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	449.50
Interest Collected	103.78
By Property Taxes Abated	252.48
By Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	306.13
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	\$1,111.89

DR.	
To 1982 Resident Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$300.00
To 1982 Resident Taxes Added (4)	40.00
To 1982 Penalties Collected	19.00
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	359.00

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Resident Taxes	\$190.00
Penalties Collected	19.00
By Resident Taxes Abated	150.00
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	\$359.00

DR.	
To 1981 Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$1,605.60
To 1981 Interest Collected	309.26
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	\$1,914.86

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$ 838.78
Interest Collected	309.26
By Property Taxes Abated	418.24
By Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	348.58
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	\$1,914.86

DR.	
To 1981 Resident Taxes Added (1)	\$10.00
To 1981 Penalties Collected	1.00
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	\$11.00

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Resident Taxes	\$10.00
Penalties Collected	1.00
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	\$11.00

DR.	
To 1980 Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$3,761.64
To 1980 Interest Collected	321.91
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	\$4,083.55

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$ 494.24
Interest Collected	321.91
By Property Taxes Abated	358.12
By Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	2,909.28
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	\$4,083.55

DR.	
To 1979 Property Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1984	\$ 64.78
To 1979 Interest Collected	201.37
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	\$266.15

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$ 64.78
Interest Collected	201.37
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	\$266.15

Sewer Tax Account	
DR.	
To 1984 Tax Warrant Levies	\$415,930.63
To 1983 Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1, 1984	46,320.68
To 1984 Interest Billed	2,289.98
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	\$464,541.29

CR.	
By Cash Paid Town Treasurer:	
Sewer Users Taxes	\$410,303.52
Interest Collected	1,890.36
By Sewer Users Taxes Uncollected Jan. 1, 1985	52,347.41
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	\$464,541.29

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

January 1, 1985

	DR.				
	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
Taxes Sold to Town					
July 19, 1984	\$103,843.60				
Unredeemed Taxes					
Jan. 1, 1984		\$88,321.05	\$54,742.43	\$1,681.41	
Interest Collected					
After Sale	1,520.53	9,756.81	16,943.98	288.02	422.22
Redemption Costs	303.40	144.40	68.40		
	<u>\$105,667.53</u>	<u>\$98,222.26</u>	<u>\$71,754.81</u>	<u>\$1,969.43</u>	<u>\$422.22</u>

	CR.				
Remittances to					
1-1-85	\$ 41,962.09	\$64,457.16	\$67,211.81	\$1,268.10	\$422.22
Abatements During					
The Year		6,060.70			
Deeded to Town					
Unredeemed Taxes	63,705.44	27,704.40	4,543.00	701.33	-0-
	<u>\$105,667.53</u>	<u>\$98,222.26</u>	<u>\$71,754.81</u>	<u>\$1,969.43</u>	<u>\$422.22</u>

RECAPITULATION

Total Turned Over to Town Treasurer:

1984 Taxes	\$5,091,204.91
1983 Taxes	659,230.97
1982 Taxes	762.28
1981 Taxes	1,159.04
1980 Taxes	816.15
1979 Taxes	266.15
Taxes Redeemed	175,321.38
	<u>\$5,928,760.88</u>

WILFRED A. LEDUC, Tax Collector

1983 and 1984 Milford Tax Rate Analysis

	1983	1984
Town Net Appropriation	\$ 937,450	\$1,133,592
School Net Appropriation	3,510,561	4,120,610
County Net Assessment	369,462	424,352
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Total of Town, School, County	4,817,473	5,678,554
Deduct:		
Business Profits Tax Allocation	(300,544)	(319,812)
Add:		
War Service Credits	45,150	45,100
Overlay (Reserve for Tax Abatements)	20,309	29,713
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Property Taxes to be raised	\$4,582,388	\$5,433,555
Net Property Valuation	\$87,117,655	\$89,706,695

TAX RATE (Per Thousand)

	1983		1984	
	B.P.T.* ALLOCATION	RATE	B.P.T.* ALLOCATION	RATE
Town	\$ 62,213	10.80	66,201	12.76
School	221,801	37.75	236,021	43.42
County	16,530	4.05	17,590	4.55
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Total:	\$300,544	\$52.60	\$319,812	\$60.73

*B.P.T. = Business Profits Tax

Report of The Common Trust Fund Investments of The City or town of Milford, N. H. on December 31, 19 84

HOW INVESTED		PRINCIPAL				INCOME					
NO. OF SHARES OR OTHER UNITS	DESCRIPTION OF INVESTMENT (Names of Banks, Stocks, Bonds, etc.) <small>Please indicate by an asterisk (*) any delisted securities being held pursuant to RSA 31:25-a and type an explanation for the retention on the bottom of this form. (RSA 31:25-c)</small>	Balance Beginning Year	ADDI Purchases	ONS Capital Gains	Proceeds From Sales	Gains or (Losses) From Sales	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Time Deposit	Souhegan National Bank							4,654 71	510 01	510 01	4,654 71
"	Amoskeag Savings Bank	10,000 00					10,000 00		1,367 28	1,367 28	
"	Merchants Savings Bank	142,000 00	12,000 00				154,000 00		16,793 77	16,793 77	
"	Souhegan National Bank	105,000 00					105,000 00		12,245 95	12,245 95	
"	Milford Co-Operative Bank	3,500 00					3,500 00		470 34	470 34	
"	Nashua Federal Savings & Loan Assn.	100,000 00					100,000 00		12,344 88	12,344 88	
"	First Federal Bank	85,897 34					85,897 34		10,738 68	10,738 68	
"	Village Savings Bank	12,000 00			12,000 00		0		1,170 18	1,170 18	
"	Peterborough Savings Bank	15,000 00					15,000 00		2,185 14	2,185 14	
102	BankEast (at no cost)	0					0		122 40	122 40	
27	BankEast (at no cost)										
	Souhegan National Bank - principal cash - NOW Account	4,185 22	2,800 00				6,985 22		296 48	296 48	
	income cash - NOW account							2,085 96	969 82	957 49	2,098 29
	TOTALS	477,582 56	14,800 00		12,000 00		480,382 56	6,740 67	59,247 33	59,235 00	6,753 00

Fees and expenses, if any, paid for Professional Banking Assistance: (RSA 31:38-a, IV)

1. Name of Bank: _____
2. Fees Paid: \$ _____
3. Expenses Paid: \$ _____
4. Were these fees and expenses paid for totally from income? Yes _____ No _____

Report of the Trust Funds of the City or Town of

Milford, N. H.

on December 31, 19

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DATE OF CREATION	NAME OF TRUST FUND List first those trusts invested in a common trust fund	PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED Whether bank, deposits, Stocks, bonds, etc. (If Common trust — So State)	%	PRINCIPAL				INCOME						
					Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Gains or (Losses) on Sale of Securities	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	INCOME DURING YEAR		Expended During Year	Balance End Year	
Various	Cemetery Trust Fund	Perpetual Care	Common Trust	54.0	257,977 04	2,800 00				260,777 04	4,654 71	12.256	32,332 10	32,332 10	4,654 71
1969	George & Minnie Falconer	Gen. Library Exp.	"	.2	998 08					998 08		12.256	122 33	122 33	
1890	Ezra Gay Fund	"	"	2.2	10,474 09					10,474 09		12.256	1,283 72	1,283 72	
1892	Nancy Averill Fund	"	"	.0	171 32					171 32		12.256	20 98	20 98	
1913	Alice Gray Fund	"	"	.2	873 98					873 98		12.256	107 12	107 12	
1913	Miranda Smith Fund	"	"	.4	2,009 91					2,009 91		12.256	246 34	246 34	
1913	Esther Thompson Fund	"	"	.2	955 79					955 79		12.256	117 14	117 14	
1922	Andrew J. & Ellie J. Dutton Fund	"	"	.1	261 36					261 36		12.256	32 03	32 03	
1921	Josephine Dayfoot Fund	"	"	.8	4,011 60					4,011 60		12.256	491 67	491 67	
1934	Hannah E. Webster Fund	"	"	.2	873 98					873 98		12.256	107 12	107 12	
1945	James Day Fund	"	"	2.2	10,646 04					10,646 04		12.256	1,304 80	1,304 80	
1953	Annabel C. Secombe Fund	"	"	.4	1,799 21					1,799 21		12.256	220 51	220 51	
1955	O. W. Lull Fund	"	"	2.4	11,623 45					11,623 45		12.256	1,424 59	1,424 59	
1957	Paul H. Hutchinson Fund	"	"	21.2	100,942 60					100,942 60		12.256	12,371 71	12,371 71	
1959	Mary E. & Helen E. Gilsun Fund	"	"	.2	998 08					998 08		12.256	122 33	122 33	
1959	James J. Howison Fund	"	"	5.2	24,951 86					24,951 86		12.256	3,058 14	3,058 14	
1956	Benjamin F. Prescott Fund	"	"	1.0	4,990 37					4,990 37		12.256	611 63	611 63	
1957	Julian M. Tarbell Fund	Library Grounds	"	1.2	5,573 93					5,573 93		12.256	683 15	683 15	
1942	Minnie G. Epps Fund	" Books	"	4.7	22,391 21					22,391 21		12.256	2,744 30	2,744 30	
1907	Dorcas & Mary Peabody Fund	Library Children's Room	"	1.3	5,983 02					5,983 02		12.256	733 29	733 29	
1937	Frank E. Kaley Fund	High School Prizes	"	1.9	9,075 64					9,075 64	2,085 96	12.256	1,112 33	1,100 00	2,098 29
				100.0	477,582 56	2,800 00				480,382 56	6,740 67	12.256	59,247 33	59,235 00	6,753 00

Report of the Trust Funds of the City or Town of Milford, N. H. on December 31, 1984

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TOWN OF MILFORD, N. H.
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
COMMON TRUST FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN PRINCIPAL CASH
FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1984

Principal Cash Balance, December 31, 1983

Souhegan National Bank - NOW account	\$4,185.22
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Receipts

Additions to Cemetary Funds - Perpetual Care	<u>2,800.00</u>
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Principal Cash Balance, December 31, 1984

Souhegan National Bank, NOW account	<u>\$6,985.22</u>
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Note 1 to Trustees' Report on Common Trust Funds

In the year 1970, the Common Trust Funds received a dividend of 9 shares of the Manchester Corporation on their deposit of unexpended income in the former Manchester Savings Bank. This deposit represented unexpended income of the Cemetery Trust Funds. Also received was a dividend of 34 shares of the same corporation on a deposit of principal funds in the same bank. No values have been assigned to these shares.

During the year 1973, the Trust Funds received an additional 43 shares as a result of a 2 for 1 stock split. In 1974, the name of the corporation was changed to The First Financial Group of N. H. Inc. In 1981, the name of the corporation was changed to BankEast. During the year 1983, the Trust Funds received an additional 43 shares as a result of a 50% stock dividend.

TOWN OF MILFORD, N. H.
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
COMMON TRUST FUNDS
STATEMENT OF FUND INCOME RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1984

Receipts

Unexpended Income, December 31, 1983

Souhegan National Bank - NOW account	\$ 2,085.96	
Souhegan National Bank - savings certificate	4,654.71	
18 shares - BankEast (Note 1)	<u>-</u>	\$ 6,740.67

Income Received

Interest on savings certificates	57,826.23	
Interest on NOW accounts	1,266.30	
Dividends on stocks	<u>154.80</u>	<u>59,247.33</u>

Balance of income		65,988.00
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Distribution of Income

Cemetery Funds

Milford Public Works:

Perpetual Care - Cemetery Funds	\$30,152.44	
Hutchinson Fund	956.40	
Kaley Fund	<u>1,223.26</u>	32,332.10

Library Funds

Treasurer of Wadleigh Memorial Library:

Tarbell Fund	683.15	
Epps Fund	2,744.30	
Peabody Fund	733.29	
General Library Funds	<u>21,642.16</u>	25,802.90

Kaley Prize Speaking Fund	<u>1,100.00</u>	
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Total Distribution of Income		<u>59,235.00</u>
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Unexpended Income, December 31, 1984

Souhegan National Bank - NOW account	2,098.29	
Souhegan National Bank - savings certificate	4,654.71	
27 shares - BankEast (Note 1)	<u>-</u>	

\$ 6,753.00

TOWN OF MILFORD, N. H.
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
COMMON TRUST FUNDS
STATEMENT OF CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 1984

ASSETS

Income Assets

Souhegan National Bank - NOW account	\$ 2,098.29	
Souhegan National Bank - savings certificate	4,654.71	
27 shares - BankEast (Note 1)	-	\$ 6,753.00

Principal Assets

Souhegan National Bank - NOW account	6,985.22	
Savings certificates	473,397.34	
102 shares - BankEast (Note 1)	-	480,382.56

TOTAL ASSETS		\$487,135.56
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LIABILITIES

Unexpended Income of Funds

Frank E. Kaley Prize Speaking Fund	\$ 2,098.29	
Cemetery Trust Funds	4,654.71	\$ 6,753.00

Principal of Funds

Balance, December 31, 1983	477,582.56	
Additions to funds -		
Cemetery Funds - Perpetual Care	2,800.00	
Balance, December 31, 1984		480,382.56

TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$487,135.56
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TOWN OF MILFORD, N. H.
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
REPORT ON CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS
FOR YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1984

	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Unexpended Income</u>	<u>Total Fund</u>
<u>Milford Fire Department Capital Reserve</u>			
Balances, December 31, 1983	\$77,700.00	\$6,291.11	\$83,991.11
Interest on bank deposits in 1984	<u>-</u>	<u>2,756.73</u>	<u>2,756.73</u>
	77,700.00	9,047.84	86,747.84
Disbursed to Town of Milford	(73,462.87)	(8,537.13)	(82,000.00)
Balances, December 31, 1984	\$ <u>4,237.13</u>	\$ <u>510.71</u>	\$ <u>4,747.84</u> (a)
(a) Invested in bank money market account			
<u>Milford Ambulance Service Capital Reserve</u>			
Balances, December 31, 1983	\$32,810.03	\$6,424.40	\$39,234.43
Interest on bank deposits in 1984	<u>-</u>	<u>2,492.42</u>	<u>2,492.42</u>
	32,810.03	8,916.82	41,726.85
Disbursed to Town of Milford	(22,334.99)	(8,448.01)	(30,783.00)
Balances, December 31, 1984	\$ <u>10,475.04</u>	\$ <u>468.81</u>	\$ <u>10,943.85</u> (b)
(b) Invested in bank money market account			
<u>Milford Highway Department Capital Reserve</u>			
Balances, December 31, 1983	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Received from Town of Milford on December 28, 1984	<u>10,000.00</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,000.00</u>
Balances, December 31, 1984	\$ <u>10,000.00</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>10,000.00</u> (c)
(c) Invested in bank time deposit			
Total balances of Capital Reserve Funds at December 31, 1984			\$ <u>25,691.69</u>

Robert J. Kerr
Richard P. Fisk
Donald Blanchette
Trustees

MARRIAGE—MILFORD—1984

Date		Groom's Name	Bride's Name
January	6	Robert Goyette Milford	Ellen M. Glover Milford
	6	Arthur J. Michon, Jr. Manchester	Patty A. Cole Milford
	14	Clayton A. Wilson, Jr. Milford	Dona Labrecque Milford
	15	Charles S. Wells Leominster, MA	Cynthia M. Robbins Leominster, MA
	21	Brian Quinn Milford	Cindy L. Wilson Milford
	21	Gary L. Thomas Milford	Diana L. Dean Mt. Vernon
	28	Jason C. Long Milford	Loralee Manley Milford
February	4	Thomas M. Delmore Lowell, MA	Colleen Staples Lowell, MA
	10	Filip H. Thurston Milford	Rande J. McCollum Hollis
	11	Perry D. Nadeau Milford	Roberta O'Brien Milford
	11	Rick Ganis Milford	June C. Costa Milford
	14	John F. Hyde, Jr. Milford	Debra A. Smith Milford
	17	Brice F. Repolt Nashua	Candace L. McLaughlin Milford
	18	Steven P. Douston Milford	Michele R. Avery Milford
	25	Peter D. Stimson Milford	Catherine A. Rosario Milford
	29	Scott A. Hasu Milford	Christine Moriarty Milford
March	3	Kenneth R. Willey Milford	Carol A. Davidson Milford
	10	Kevin R. Henderson Nashua	Christina R. Felty Milford
	10	Hau H. Hung Milford	Bonnie G. Judkins Milford
	16	Andrew S. Ayer Milford	Lillian J. Paradis Milford
	20	Arthur R. Edgar Milford	Linda A. Esslinger Amherst
	31	Stephen J. Jacquet Milford	Kathy D. Hamel Milford
April	5	Thomas D. Mahoney Wilton	Judith A. Green Milford
	7	William B. Adair Milford	Karen L. Pope Milford
	7	Amos J. Chamberlin Milford	Priscilla A. Beauregard Milford
May	1	Brian L. Poor Milford	Nancy M. Davis Milford
	5	Peter R. Doak Milford	Elizabeth A. Nolan Milford
	5	Joseph M. Anderson Milford	Joyce A. Wilder Milford
	5	Ronald J. Bogue Maynard, MA	Joan E. Lucci Maynard, MA
	5	Bret O. Wilson Milford	Mardi K. Pierce Milford

	5	J. Sheldon Hughes Milford	Kim T. Townsend Milford
	19	Russell L. Girard Milford	Susan M. Coombes Milford
	25	William R. Sylvester, Jr. Milford	Susan E. Comstock Milford
	26	Vincent M. Tranni Milford	Susan E. Newton Milford
	26	Peter A. MacLellan Milford	Sharon M. Rocca Milford
June	1	Thomas J. Swanick Milford	Cheryl A. Bosquet Milford
	2	Kurt D. MacLaughlin Milford	Marsha A. Pelham Milford
	2	Michael T. Card Milford	Lori J. Mason Milford
	5	Prentiss C. Nye, Sr. Milford	Enyde F. Leaman Townsend, MA
	9	Ralph W. Buckman Braintree, MA	Nancy A. Whitmore Milford
	14	Raymond Mitchell Milford	Catherine L. Smith Milford
	19	James H. Clarke, Jr. Milford	Katherine J. Trombly Milford
	23	Edmund J. Paro Milford	Darlene E. Kay Nashua
	23	Roger E. Haas Milford	Leslie A. Abbott Wilton
	23	Donald R. Ruggles East Lyme, Conn	Carol A. Roebuck Milford
	23	David Taylor Milford	Michele Harley Milford
	29	Michael R. Rassier Milford	Patricia T. Downey Milford
	30	Parinya Phiuphochai Milford	Joselyn P. Whitacre Bennington
	30	James R. Hawkins Milford	Jacqueline P. Thibodeau Milford
	30	Nelson S. Simoneau Milford	Linda S. Martin Milford
	30	Michael T. Poirier Milford	Debra A. Vaillancourt Tyngsboro, MA
	30	David W. LaRicca Milford	Sheryl Eisenfelder Milford
July	1	Raymond R. Gauthier Milford	Patti J. Spicer Milford
	1	William J. Ober Nashua	Jane M. Baldwin Milford
	7	Michael S. Herbert Milford	Patricia E. Dillon Milford
	7	Steve L. Marshall Milford	Linda Lee Boudreau Milford
	10	Steven J. Cristofono Milford	Luz Mary Osorio Nashua
	20	Peter V. Watton Milford	Stephanie Rockwell Milford
	21	William F. Koch, Jr. Milford	Mary M. Campbell Haverhill
	21	Gary L. Daniels Milford	Loreen L. Saucier Merrimack
	26	James P. Martin Milford	Gay S. Gochey Milford
	28	Louis E. Connor Branford, Conn	Susan J. Aveni Milford

	28	Steven J. Smith Milford	Jane E. Thommas Milford
August	2	Robert J. LeJacq Milford	Mary E. Astarjian Amherst
	4	Daniel J. Merriman Hampden, MA	Mary A. Bragdon Milford
	4	Daniel P. Hudon Milford	Marie A. Klinger Milford
	4	James A. Davis Keene	Karen L. Falcetti Milford
	12	Arthur L. Thyng, Jr. New Castle	Susan E. Cousens Milford
	18	Gene F. Trempe Milford	Colette Y. Raymond Nashua
	18	Richard E. Fitzgerald, Jr. Milford	Theresa A. Grady Manchester
	18	John J. Milligan Milford	Marie J. Comire Milford
	18	Michael E. Putnam Milford	Michele E. Putnam Milford
	18	Mark E. Gelinis Milford	Sienna LaRene Metamona, Michigan
	25	Ralph R. Elmer Nashua	Beverly J. Elmer Milford
	25	Jonathan Hooper Milford	Brenda L. Lumbra Milford
	26	Allen J. Lemire Milford	Camilla J. MacDonald Milford
	31	Richard P. McConnell Medfield, MA	Mary A. Clarkin Dedham, MA
September	1	John M. Comire Milford	Nancy A. Fitzpatrick Nashua
	1	Paul A. Lynch Milford	Leigh A. Sweeney Nashua
	8	Thomas F. McLaughlin Milford	Andrea G. Little Milford
	8	James H. Whitten Milford	Lisa B. Cass Milford
	8	Lance D. Bent Milford	Kimberly D. French Milford
	9	Robert E. Poland Milford	Andrea M. Soucier Milford
	9	Charles T. Cappetta Concord, MA	Joan E. Prestipino Milford
	15	Anthony J. Violanti Milford	Diane B. Raymond Nashua
	15	Glynn W. Schulze Nashua	Elaine P. Lorden Milford
	15	Brian J. Gregoire Milford	Julie A. Estey Nashua
	15	Daniel J. Blanchette Milford	Darlene A. Constant Milford
	15	Donald W. Paquette Milford	Margaret E. Hays Milford
	15	Raymond A. Brown Milford	Darlene M. Sylvester Milford
	17	Richard L. Rettenmaier Milford	Jennifer L. Steiger Milford
	22	Eric C. Scott Milford	Venessa P. Delude Milford
	22	Norman E. Moore, Jr. Milford	Karen L. Pineault Milford
	29	John T. Morison Milford	Suzanne M. Cobin Milford

October	5	Matthew A. Casazza Milford	Rhonda J. Nowell Milford
	6	Larry B. Anderson Milford	Kari A. Mitchell Milford
	6	John E. Faust Milford	Katherine A. Klaski Milford
	7	Phillip S. Porter Milford	Pamela Simmons Amherst
	13	David P. Pelletier Milford	Christine M. Bosse Nashua
	20	John B. Wagner Wilton	Christine Bowman Milford
	20	Gary W. Howard Milford	Charlene A. Craven Chester
	20	Leonard F. Cushing Milford	Sheila C. Favale Mt. Vernon
	20	Christopher R. Staker Milford	Aileen C. Denne-Bolton Merrimack
	27	Donald M. Wilson Milford	Denise I. Tremblay Milford
	27	John A. Metcalfe Milford	June C. Hagan Milford
	31	William E. Lydecker Milford	Anne R. Goodrich Milford
November	2	Daniel C. Adams Milford	Lisa C. Charland Milford
	3	Keith B. Francis Milford	Norma E. Cormier Milford
	3	Forest E. Curry Milford	Pamela J. Hoegler Milford
	10	Leonard E. Thibodeau, Jr. Amherst	Tammy A.T. Rowell Milford
	21	Gordon W. Chapman Milford	Viola B. Ryan Milford
	21	James A. Rockwell Milford	Miriam M. Loraine Milford
	24	Carmelo J. Antalan Milford	Linda M. Greenleaf Milford
December	30	Charles S. Baker Milford	Melinda J. Woodbury Milford
	15	LeRoy C. Banks Amherst	Bernice F. Sheuchenko Milford
	16	Allen J. Rowbotham Milford	Elizabeth S. Greene Milford
	16	Mark D. Whittemore Milford	Candace E. Bergmann Concord
	22	Charles F. Watters, Jr. Milford	Ruth E. Linker Milford
	29	Robert A. Stewart Ames, Iowa	Kimberly S. Durham Ames, Iowa

BIRTHS—MILFORD, N.H.—1984

Date 1984	Place	Baby's Name	Father	Mother
January	4 Nashua	Kristin Nicole	Thomas Condon	Pamela Fox
	4 Nashua	Kevin William	Keith Erikson	Deborah MacCorquodale
	14 Nashua	Julia Margot	Jonathan Lafleur	Allison Fellabaum
	17 Nashua	Jesse David	Richard Bragdon	Cheryl Griffin
	20 Nashua	Jason Michael	Robert LeColst	Donna Comolli
	26 Nashua	Amanda Jean	Bernard Thompson, Jr.	Cynthia Ethridge
	29 Milford	Emrys Yves	Lahri Bond	Rosemary Sheola
February	3 Nashua	Jonathan Edward	Stephen Butt	Kathi Kuhlthau
	9 Nashua	Benjamin Stuart	David Shillinglaw	Susan Park
	9 Nashua	Baby Girl	Robert Arseneau	Marilyn Araldi
	11 Nashua	Kurt Reynold	Claude Dean, Jr.	Karen Upham
	12 Nashua	Matthew James	James Bramante	Paula Matovick
	17 Nashua	Amanda Marie	Richard Cloutier	Mary Fino
	29 Nashua	Elizabeth Marie	David Fraser	Sheila McEntee
	2 Cambridge, MA	Stephen Woods	Paul Lemaire	Gale Woods
March	4 Nashua	Ashley Rebecca	David Tulchin	Aline Morin
	5 Peterborough	Steven Lawrence	Bruce Michelson	Denise Carignan
	5 Nashua	Marion Leah	Mark Tremblay	Deborah Hodge
	7 Nashua	Shawn Michael	Michael Perkins	Deborah Gillis
	9 Nashua	Amber Lee	Denis Anctil	Brenda Howland
	10 Nashua	Victoria Jean	Joseph Stewart	Laura Coward
	13 Nashua	Tyson James	James Radcliffe	Michele Bettelyoun
	18 Manchester	Benjamin Adam	Edward Nahass	Kathleen Pafford
	19 Nashua	Raymond Alan	Alan Wise	Heidi Hastings
	23 Nashua	Kelley Ann	Lucien Vaillancourt, Jr.	Sandra Labrie
	27 Nashua	Sarah Victoria	Merle Miller	Diane Peterson
April	1 Concord	Alex William	Steven Baker	Geri Laliberte
	6 Nashua	Rosemarie Ann	Roger Bourgault	Teresa Evans
	10 Nashua	Amanda Leigh	Don Moore	Stacy Friedman
	11 Nashua	Moir Shannon	Ronald Foley	Carol Ryder
	12 Nashua	Candice Lee	John Soler	Lisa Deyesso
	14 Manchester	Tiffany Lynne	Leo Hamanne	Brenda Ruonala
	16 Nashua	Matthew Calvin	Michael Oldershaw, Jr.	Cheryl Stone
	18 Nashua	Christopher William	William R. St. Onge	Lynda Garcia
	19 Salem, MA	Maxwell Cavanaugh	Mark Mahoney	Anna St. Peter
	23 Stoneham, MA	Alan Joseph, Jr.	Alan Zett	Ellen Russell
May	30 Manchester	Baby Girl	Doyal Lyons	Sharron Jones
	9 Nashua	Andrew James	Jimmy Cruz	Roxanne Wells
	14 Nashua	Daniel James	Peter Griffin	Darla Goulding
	17 Nashua	Jodye Lee	Mark Gibbons	Cindy Orff
	25 Nashua	Marie Nicole	Nicholas SanMartino, Jr.	BethAnn Weber
	26 Nashua	Aaron Isaiah	James Brackett	Vonda Cummings
	28 Nashua	Andrew William	William Walker	Paula Durand
	29 Nashua	Laura Cecile	Ronald Hebert	Beth Cunningham
	29 Nashua	Michael Brian	Joseph Calderara	Susan Carey
	1 Nashua	James Everett	David Wheeler	Joy Hardy
June	1 Nashua	Thomas Robert	Stephen Millard	Diane Peters
	1 Nashua	Samuel James	James Forsaith	Linda Geadki
	4 Nashua	Patrick Joseph III	Patrick Burke, Jr.	Victoria Dynda
	15 Nashua	Breanna Maree	James DeSanty	Tina Rice
	16 Nashua	Nicholas Adam	Thomas Cray	Gisele Morin
	21 Nashua	Paul James	James Witek	Donna Dube
	23 Nashua	Aaron Michael	William Tuttle	Virginia Hoyt
	26 Nashua	Tara Ryan	David Quigley	Marjorie Ryan
	26 Nashua	Lindsay Kate	Frederick Klein	Laurie Leja
	27 Nashua	Keith Christopher	Christopher Bernasconi	Therese Clark
	28 Nashua	Nicole Ray	Timothy Pullar	Jennifer Whittemore

July	1	Nashua	Daniel Aaron	Michael Blackler, Jr.	Alison Dove
	2	Peterborough	Rebecca Lynn	Stephen Curtis	Roberta Greeley
	7	Nashua	Anthony David	David Mague	Elizabeth Stout
	8	Nashua	Christina Rose	Jeffrey Babinski	Linda Giannotti
	8	Nashua	Randie Lynn	Roger Skinner	Brender Price
	14	Nashua	Amanda Echo	Gary Stone	Deborah Ford
	16	Nashua	Andrew Dana	Steven Sexton	Susan Mayhew
	16	Nashua	Erik Hastings	Ronald Duchesne	Brenda Hastings
	21	Nashua	Jennifer Lynn	Wayne Perkins	Priscilla Haight
	23	Nashua	Dennis Reid	Dennis MacCallum	Arleen Cogan
August	3	Nashua	Joseph Paul	James Krieger	Linda Johnson
	7	Concord	Aaron Joseph	Rick Ganis	June Costa
	8	Nashua	Angela	Stavros Booras	Nikoleta Marinopoulos
	9	Nashua	Jacob Ryan	Kevin Toomey	Sandra Tetreault
	9	Nashua	Maranda Sue	Norman Clark	Michelle Foulks
	9	Nashua	Kurtis Michael	Jeffrey Belanger	Debra Laflotte
	10	Nashua	Russell Scott, Jr.	Russell Johnson	Tammy Brooks
	10	Manchester	Katie Elizabeth	Charles Malony	Carol Stowe
	14	Peterborough	Shane Dennis	Vint Boggis	Jerri Ann Creary
			Robert		
	14	Nashua	Matthew Denton	Gerald Brousseau	Lauren Denton
	17	Nashua	Phillip Armond	Rene Cote	Lori Coburn
	19	Nashua	Chad Robert	Robert Castanino	Claire Trombly
	20	Nashua	Jessie James	Tracy Drew	Joni Blanchard
	20	Nashua	Stephen Joseph, Jr.	Stephen Jacquet, Sr.	Kathy Hamel
	22	Nashua	Leo Charles III	Leo Ouellette, Jr.	Linda Sullivan
	23	Nashua	Leigh Avery	Steven Douston	Michelle Avery
	24	Nashua	Colleen Anne	Michael Pickering	Janice Farmer
	25	Manchester	Michael John	Mark Gooden	Wendy Charron
	25	Nashua	Samuel Charles	Benjamin Hammond, Jr.	Sandra Lumm
September	26	Nashua	Susan Elisa	Robert Albert	Linda Hamlin
	1	Nashua	Ryan John	John Powers, Jr.	Lois Douglass
	5	Nashua	Cassandra Leigh	Richard Lovering, Jr.	Linda Piekarski
	7	Nashua	Jeremy Michael	Christopher Worcester	Denise Crooker
	13	Nashua	Sarah Ida	Reed MacNeilage	Ruth Dutton
	14	Nashua	William Scott	William Riehl	Pamela Shea
	16	Nashua	Julie Lynn	Robert Costantino	Chris Graf
	20	Nashua	Benjamin Keith	Bryan Bates	Kimberley Belmore
	20	Nashua	Amy Jeanne	Joseph Rocca	Jeanne Stroncer
	23	Nashua	Michael John	Robert Levesque	Robin Blakley
October	24	Nashua	Beth Andrea	Christopher Porter	Judie Aveni
	26	Nashua	Adam Robert	Amos Chamberlin	Priscilla Beauregard
	27	Nashua	Cory	Bret Wilson	Mardi Pierce
	3	Manchester	Ryan Robert	Robert Harvey	Joanne Rice
	6	Nashua	John Arthur V	John Mullikin IV	Katherine Haag
	11	Nashua	Rachel Pamela	Norman Smith	Wilma Gilman
	11	Nashua	Stephen Daniel	Mark Perry	Brenda Hendsbee
	12	Nashua	Christina Lynn	Kevin Parkhurst	Diane Maxham
	14	Nashua	Tabitha Marie	Drew Brodeur	Lory Miller
	15	Nashua	Tyler Abbott	Raymond Green	Judith Abbott
November	16	Nashua	Amanda Lynne	Kenneth Rocca	Lynne Waterman
	17	Nashua	Ashley Ruth	Michael Downey	Mary Maloney
	18	Manchester	David Addison	David Phillips	Susan Wilson
	18	Nashua	Alison	John Wilde	Marbeth Dunne
	19	Nashua	Beth Ann	Robert Michalowski	Marylouise Smith
	27	Nashua	Jacob Thomas	Leo Meedzan	Carol Raisanen
	28	Nashua	Meghan Jeanne	Mark Blanchard	Darlene Main
	30	Nashua	Karen Elizabeth	Gregory Dietz	Bonita Howland
	3	Nashua	Richard Alden	Gene Andrews	Carolyn Doucette
	10	Nashua	Nathanael Clement	Kenneth Wagner	Angela Kutschke
	19	Nashua	Lindsey Marie	Gregory Norton	Sherry Jackson
	21	Nashua	Sean Lee Porter	Donald Boissonnault	Rebecca Buckman
	29	Peterborough	Alexander Harry	George Kormanos	Mary Pasquale

December	2	Nashua	Kira Lee	Christopher LaRose	Janine Theriault
	3	Nashua	Holly Marie	Terrence Atwood	Bonnie Sullivan
	7	Nashua	Patrick Shawn, Jr.	Patrick McCoy	DeEtte Hurd
	10	Nashua	Tina Marie Hamilton	Joseph Aveni	Heather McInnis
	11	Nashua	Kristen Lee	John DeLisle	Rosemary Herring
	11	Nashua	John Nathan	John DeLisle	Rosemary Herring
	12	Nashua	Meagan Gisele	Michael Rassier	Patricia Downey
	16	Nashua	Lindsey Marie	Francis Asselin	Mary Sabourn
	23	Nashua	Heidi Leigh	Edward Medlyn	Christina Bachelder
	25	Nashua	Christopher Lee	John Buford III	Nancy Pasquarello
	26	Nashua	Andrew Morin	Ronald Morin	Elaine Silveira
	26	Nashua	Nicholas Frank Zensei	William Millward	Ann Miyashiro
	27	Nashua	Michael Allen	Wallace Bruce, Jr.	Deedra Drake
	27	Nashua	Brian Joseph	Thomas O'Neill II	Debra Russell
	29	Nashua	Lindsay Taylor	Angelo Mullen	Jane Seales
	30	Nashua	Michael James	James Cochran	Tammy Robbins
	31	Nashua	Gregory Thomas	Thomas Bentley	Catherine Pelletier

DEATHS — 1984

Date		Place	Name
1984			
January	3	Milford	Pomfret, Anna R.
	4	Milford	Morse, Lewis M.
	5	Milford	Bosse, Louis J.
	5	Milford	Fairbanks, William
	5	Nashua	Chapman, Grayce B.
	8	Milford	Hanson, Ingrid
	10	Milford	Braham, Leason
	10	Milford	Hill, Edward M.
	11	Milford	Smith, Fred A.
	23	Milford	Court, Susan E.
	24	Milford	Marshall, Margaret
	25	Milford	Kinney, Francis C.
	27	Milford	Wright, David
	29	Nashua	Wells, Dorothy
February	30	Milford	Nees, Ruth P.
	3	Milford	Carleton, Mary A.
	7	Milford	Moran, Paul A.
	10	Milford	Lizotte, Alfred
	11	Milford	Douglas, Everett F.
	11	Milford	Clemons, Roger P.
	13	Milford	Moore, Mark M.
	16	Milford	Malenfant, Armand V.
	17	Milford	Charrois, Antoinette
	21	Milford	Miles, Fannie I.
March	6	Nashua	Mack, Lloyd W.
	8	Nashua	Barton, Dorothy T.
	17	Milford	Knoll, Edward V.
	21	Milford	Udall, Roberta M.
	23	Milford	Schaefer, Hazel
	28	Nashua	Hendrickson, Ann E.
April	6	Milford	Schultz, Frances W.
	6	Nashua	Folloman, Florence I.
	6	Nashua	Webster, Marjorie C.
	15	Milford	Hayward, Wallace B.
	17	Milford	Kirby, Florence S.
	18	Manchester	William, Naim N.
	21	Milford	Mercier, Norbert (John)
	21	Nashua	Comire, Nathalie G.
	25	Milford	Gauvin, Alice V.
	27	Milford	Johnson, Mamie L.
	29	Milford	St. Jean, Lloyd E.
May	30	Milford	Demass, Lizzie
	11	Milford	Denis, Louis J.
	17	Milford	Ireland, Richard D.
	24	Chelmsford, MA	Fiske, Eustace B.
	25	Milford	Lynch, Martin R.
	28	Milford	Landry, Wilfred J.
June	4	Milford	Reagan, Mary M.
	9	Milford	Vaillancourt, Andre L.
	9	Manchester	Worcester, Ella M.
	14	Milford	Fiske, Alice E.
	15	Nashua	Destroismaisons, Lena
	19	Nashua	Moriarty, Thomas H.
	20	Milford	Littlefield, Fred W.
	23	Milford	Boudreau, James
	24	Milford	Welch, John
	28	Milford	Harwood, Francis A.
July	3	Milford	Lane, Georgia H.
	4	Nashua	Richelli, Aido, Sr.
August	3	Milford	Miner, Beatrice L.

	15	Milford	Korthals, Lucy
	24	Milford	Dixon, Jennie F. I.
	25	Nashua	Northrup Paul
	27	Milford	Flynn, Irene M.
September	4	Milford	Tuttle, Donald A.
	6	Milford	Midgley, Marjorie E.
	6	Milford	Kivimaki, Margaret L.
	14	Nashua	Teger, Martha
	14	Nashua	Proctor, Ray A.
	16	Milford	Hutchinson, Jane H.
	19	Milford	Johnson, Clarence F.
	28	Milford	Phillips, Edward J., Sr.
October	1	Nashua	Staples, Ralph A.
	4	Nashua	Grasso, Vincenza
	5	Nashua	Bohonan, Hattie F.
	6	Milford	Fowler, Gustus W.
	10	Milford	Dickey, Eleanor A.
	10	Nashua	Mackie, William J.
	12	Milford	Scruton, David, Sr.
	12	Manchester	Gile, Howard L.
	14	Nashua	Saraceno, Salvatore J.
November	2	Milford	Wallace Clara V.
	6	Milford	Hansen, Ruby J.
	9	Nashua	Conrad, Elizabeth M.
	19	Nashua	White, Anna S.
	20	Nashua	Brasier, Richard A.
	21	Milford	Maymon, Mathilde L.
	22	Milford	Bridgman, Joseph
	29	Milford	Labbe, Lillian
	30	Peterborough	Watson, Arthur H.
December	10	Milford	Paquette, Edouard J.
	12	Milford	Marlatt, Lynn
	15	Milford	Poulin, Dorothy H.
	16	Milford	L'Ecuyer, Vesta
	18	Milford	Wiley, Elmer I.
	19	Milford	Pero, Wendell L.
	22	Milford	Maas, Ronald E.
	22	Milford	French, Earl W.
	25	Nashua	Christensen, Brian F.

BROUGHT FROM AWAY AND BURIED IN MILFORD

Date		Place of Death	Name of Deceased
1984			
January	3	Fitchburg, MA	Ernest L. Goodell
	8	Manchester	Theresa Germino
	13	Lowell, MA	Arthur A. Calvetti
	21	Nashua	Theodore F. Michos
February	2	Nashua	Alice M. Hazelton
	18	Hartford, VT	Arthur D. Buxton
	22	Portland, ME	Violet K. McNulty
	23	Tilton	Alexander M. Ingrams, Jr.
March	4	Chelsea, VT	Norman E. Mochrie
	14	Amherst	Madaline O. Norwood
	22	Lowell, MA	Charles W. Lundberg
April	11	Nashua	Robert E. Salisbury, Sr.
	24	Stuart, FLA	Vera Dexter
May	13	Hallandale, FLA	Rosario Calvetti
June	16	Ayer, MA	Flora L. Duncklee
	27	Manchester	Ruth Hargraves
	28	Rochester	Josephine R. Devittori
July	11	Nashua	Robert T. Harron
	16	Nashua	Alice G. Jenks
August	10	Nashua	Matthew A. Scruton
	29	Bourne, MA	David Dopp
December	11	Nashua	Ronald A. Frank

Synopsis
of the
191ST MEETING OF THE
TOWN OF MILFORD
March 13, 1984

Town Meeting for election of officers and school meeting for election of officers opened at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon by the reading of the Town Warrant and School Warrant by Moderator Robert Philbrick.

Motion was made, and seconded, to close the polls at 8:00 o'clock p.m., and voted in the affirmative.

First man voter, Antimo Carpentieri, first woman voter, Mary Carpentieri; last man voter, Thomas Churas, last woman voter, Cecile Tougas.

Election officers present: Moderator, Robert Philbrick; Assistant Moderator, Lorraine Prestipino; Supervisors of Checklists, Edward Thane, John Farwell and Frances Rivard; Town Clerk, Wilfred Leduc.

Moderator, Robert Philbrick, called to order the 191st Town Meeting of the Town of Milford, at 6:37 p.m. Present for the meeting were the Board of Selectmen, Chairman Ernest Barrett, Bartolo Prestipino, Rosario Ricciardi, Walter Putnam and Frank Stetson; Secretary to the Selectmen, Lorraine Carson; Superintendent of Public Works, Robert E. Courage; Town Clerk, Wilfred Leduc; Deputy Town Clerk, Nancy Schooley; Budget Committee, Chairman William English, Antimo Carpentieri, Christopher G. Pank, Richard Piper, James Hallisey, Dale White, Dr. Richard St. Cyr, and Cindy Salisbury; Minutes recorded by Linda L. Miles, assisted by Helen Draper; audio assistance provided by Robert Whitmore, and students Rick Nantel and Brian Palmer.

Town Moderator, Mr. Philbrick, asked the assembly to rise and remain standing for the opening ceremony. Presentation of the colors was by Harley Sanford Post 4368 of the VFW, Richard McQuarrie, Morris Cleaves, Bucky Grugnale and Jerry Edwards. The invocation was given by Father William Dupere, Associate Priest at St. Patrick Church.

Mr. Philbrick announced some housekeeping rules. Each voter must wear an orange sticker in order to speak and vote; the stickers shows he is a resident of the Town of Milford. All who wish to speak shall first be recognized, stand, utilize a microphone and state their name. All non-residents were requested to sit on the bleachers at the back of the hall. The Jaycees assisted to count standing votes, if necessary. If all the business of the meeting cannot be completed in one evening, the meeting will be adjourned until Thursday evening, March 15, 1984.

ARTICLE 1. This article voted by ballot.

ARTICLE 2. This article voted by ballot. On these zoning amendments, there have been petition notices filed so that a two-thirds majority will be required to pass zoning questions numbered 1, 5, 6, 12, 13, 14, 18 and 21.

ARTICLE 3. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to consider this article under Article 14, Town Budget.

ARTICLE 4. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to accept the reports of all Town Officers, Agents and Committees as printed in the 1983 Town Report.

ARTICLE 5. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, if necessary, as provided by the law of 1907.

ARTICLE 6. This article voted by ballot.

ARTICLE 7. This article voted by ballot.

ARTICLE 8. This article voted by ballot.

ARTICLE 9. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,900.00 to replace the 1976 spreader with a 1984 Swenson Spreader. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

Chairman Barrett moved that the rest of the warrant be operated based on the recommendations of the Budget Committee. The motion was seconded and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 10. The Budget Committee moved, the Board of Selectmen seconded and it was unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,600.00 to replace the 1972 85 CF Worthington Air Compressor with a new 1984 185 CF Joy Air Compressor. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 11. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,783.00 to purchase a new 1984 GMC 1 ton 4-wheel drive dump truck equipped with a nine (9) foot plow, and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell by public bid a 1976 Chevrolet ½ ton pick up. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 12. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$29,595.00 to replace the 1968 Sicard Snow Blower with a new 1984 SMI Snow Blower. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 13. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by

the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,783.00 for the purchase of a 1984 Wheelcoach Ambulance, or similar model, and to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw a like amount from the Ambulance Capital Reserve Fund for said purchase.

Chairman Barrett moved that we consider Article 20 before Article 14 because if Article 20 is passed, there will be reductions in the Budget under Article 14. The motion was seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 20. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,100.00 for the replacement of two (2) mobile vehicle transceivers (radios) for the Milford Volunteer Ambulance Service. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 14. Each line of the Town Budget was discussed and voted on separately.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

\$31,100 for Town Officers Salaries, on amendment by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously. This includes \$15,000 for the Town Clerk's salary, which will be offset by \$15,000 in income. The Town Clerk is paid a percentage of the funds brought in by his office. The auditors said that the salary must be budgeted and approved by the voters before disbursement. This is only an accounting measure; it will not affect taxes.

\$90,411 for Town Office Expense, on amendment by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously. The \$416 increase is to bring the employees in the office up five cents per hour. \$1,159 will be added as amendments for town employees other than union employees throughout the evening.

\$3,824 for Election and Registration Expense, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. The increase is due to four elections this year rather than two as last year.

\$1,300 for Municipal and District Court Expense, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$55,438 for Town Buildings, on amendment by the Board of Selectmen, seconded and voted unanimously. The Budget Committee moved the sum of \$54,488 which was amended by the Board of Selectmen to increase the figure by \$950 for new carpeting for the Police Department. Although the Budget Committee agreed that the carpet couldn't be cleaned, they believed it could be used longer, but they agreed to go along with the Board of Selectmen.

\$24,285 for Assessor/Building Inspector, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. Stephen Martin asked for the reason for the large increase in this account. Chairman Barrett explained that there is actually a modest decrease. At last year's town meeting we voted a full time assessor, who

would also handle building inspection formerly handled by "Pop" Mitchell who has retired.

\$6,300 for Audit and Accounting Services, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$54,116 for Public Works Administration, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

\$322,651 for Police Department, on amendment of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. The reduction is for legal expenses for negotiations with the police union.

\$65,405 for Fire Department, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$4,036 for Planning and Zoning, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$29,881 for Property & Liability Insurance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$41,377 for Workmen's Compensation, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$5,000 for Unemployment Insurance, on motion by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$2,360 for Civil Defense, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$38,712 for Police Pension, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$3,082 for Board of Adjustment, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$1,000 for Tax Map, on motion by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$0 for Building Inspection, since no funds were allocated, no vote was taken.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

\$5,420 for Health Department, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$250 for Vital Statistics, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$192,461 for Transfer Station, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. Chairman Barrett explained that the increase in this account is due to the increased tonage handled by the Transfer Station. Most of this increase is commercial, so it is offset by an increase in income.

\$25,125 for Ambulance Service, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$32,293 for Sewer Maintenance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$5,000 for Sewer Construction, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

John Leslie requested that the Moderator state when the figures proposed to be voted upon are different from the figures printed in the budget. Moderator Philbrick agreed.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

\$0 for Town Road Aid "A," since no funds were allocated, no vote was taken.

\$50,648 for Street Lighting, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$32,272 for Highway Department — Oiling, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$140,023 for Highway Department — Winter Maintenance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$60,493 for Highway Department — Summer Maintenance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

Chairman Barrett moved that the Library Budget be considered after Articles 24 and 25. The motion was seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously.

PUBLIC WELFARE:

\$26,000 for Public Welfare, on amendment by the Board of Selectmen, seconded and voted almost unanimously. The Budget Committee moved the sum of \$26,500 to include a \$500 increase for Overseer of Public Welfare, Patti Horne. The Board of Selectmen amended the figure back to the original \$26,000; agreeing that Mrs. Horne was doing an excellent job and deserved the increase, but stating that there was adequate funding for her increase within the \$26,000 budget. The \$26,000 budget was passed with the agreement that Mrs. Horne will be paid \$2,000.

\$15,000 for Old Age Assistance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:

\$1,700 for Memorial Day, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

RECREATION:

\$51,247 for Parks and Playgrounds, on amendment of the Board of Selectmen, seconded and voted in the affirmative by a slight majority. The Budget Committee moved a figure of \$48,622, which would remove funds for new bleachers and painting of the swimming pool. When the pool was redone three years ago, the firm performing the repairs advised that it should be repainted every three years. The money in the budget is only for paint, Robert Courage's staff will do the painting. The Budget Committee indicated they believed that the pool could wait another year. Chairman Barrett explained that the increases in this account also included an increase in salaries, maintenance costs and repairs to equipment. Bob Pariseau inquired whether there would be any adverse health problems with waiting to paint the pool. Bob Courage advised that there should be none, since most of the paint seemed in good condition. He has manpower available to paint the pool prior to the summer opening. Bill Miller stated that he favored painting the pool this year as recommended rather than risk an increased cost later. The question was moved, seconded and voted unanimously. The vote of the \$51,247 figure was passed by a slight majority.

\$3,600 for Band Concerts, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

PUBLIC SERVICES ENTERPRISES:

\$27,100 for Water Department — Hydrant Rental, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$600 for Wilton Water Department, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$49,585 for Cemeteries — Regular, on motion of the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously. The auditors believe we should appropriate the amount of money we are spending out of trust funds, explained Chairman Barrett. The trust funds money is received in the beginning of the subsequent calendar year. Also included is a wage increase. They estimate there will be \$31,797 in income. \$2,500 of this is due to vandalism.

\$0 for Cemeteries — Trust Funds, since no money was appropriated, no vote was taken.

\$80,752 for Communications Center, on amendment of the Board of Selectmen, seconded and voted unanimously. The Budget Committee moved the figure of \$79,894. The amendment by the Board of Selectmen was to include \$858 for increased health insurance costs. This is included in this line item since other towns share in the cost of the Communications Center. Bill Nickerson inquired as to why the increase in cost for this year. Chairman Barrett explained that the payroll is up \$4,600. This year supervisor Guy Franklin is out on an extended sick leave. There is also an increase in Social Security due to higher wages. Also, the move upstairs created an increased telephone cost. Amherst and Mont Vernon also share in the costs of the Communications Center.

UNCLASSIFIED:

\$35,000 for Damages and Legal, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. Chairman Barrett estimated that \$3,000 is for the PUC appeal and \$7,000 for the ledge claims. Chairman English wondered whether \$35,000 is adequate. Marji Maiocco questioned what was allocated for the UNICEF suit. Chairman Barrett estimated about \$500. Stephen Martin asked, in relation to the PUC appeal, how much it would cost to hook up those Amherst houses if their wells run dry. Chairman Barrett responded from \$200,000 to \$500,000.

\$4,652 for Employees' Retirement, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$38,283 for Employees Social Security, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$1,800 for Trustees of Trust Funds, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$88,083 for Group Health Insurance, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously. Last year the health insurance was put out to bid, with only two bids received. Both bids included significantly reduced benefits to the town employees and were rejected by the Selectmen. Chairman Barrett stated that he believes that an Administrative Assistant could spend the time to locate

comparable, but less costly health insurance. The town pays 80 percent of the cost for dependent's insurance coverage.

DEBT SERVICE

\$293,287 for Principal — Long Term Notes and Bonds, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$276,073 for Interest — Long Term Notes and Bonds, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

\$165,600 for Interest & Expenses — Temporary Loans, on amendment of the Board of Selectmen, seconded and voted almost unanimously. This increase in interest expenses is due to a \$600,000 to \$700,000 increase for the schools. The Budget Committee agreed with the Board of Selectmen's amendment.

At 8:00 the polls were deemed closed by Moderator Philbrick. All those still in the booths were allowed to vote. The tellers were requested to report to the stage to begin counting the ballots.

CAPITAL OUTLAY:

\$3,317 for Sidewalk Construction, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously.

Chairman English expressed the thanks of the Town of Milford to the Board of Selectmen for their work in the past years.

Richard Hillman, Senior Vice Commander of the Harley Sanford Post of the VFW presented the Patriotic Citizen Award to Chairman Barrett in recognition of the display of the flag.

ARTICLE 15. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application for, accept and expend on behalf of the Town, any and all grants, aids or other funds for town purposes which may now, or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States government or from the State of New Hampshire, or from any other source.

ARTICLE 16. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,198.00 to purchase a new 1984 Ford LTD Victoria Police Cruiser to be equipped with a light bar and siren, cruiser cage, shotgun rack and equipment tree. And authorize the Selectmen to dispose of, by public bid, the 1978 Pontiac Catalina and 1980 Pontiac LeMans Cruisers. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund.

ARTICLE 17. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of \$127,000.00 to purchase a new pumper and the equipping thereof for the Milford Fire Department and to authorize the withdrawal of \$82,000.00 from the Capital Reserve Fund established for such. And further authorize the withdrawal of \$10,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to apply to this appropriation. And the balance to be provided from Town funds.

ARTICLE 18. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,440.00 for the purpose of installing electric door

openers/closers at the Milford Fire Station. And further to authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund. Chief Calvetti explained that in the event of a power failure, they have a backup generator, but the doors will also have a manual release.

ARTICLE 19. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and voted almost unanimously to raise and appropriate the sum of \$21,055.00 for the purpose of hiring a full time Administrative Assistant for the Board of Selectmen and to further authorize the Board of Selectmen upon approval of this Article, to insert it into the Budget as an annual expenditure.

Salary based on \$20,000/year 8 months	\$13,336.00
Dues, training, possible relocation cost	2,000.00
Recruitment	1,000.00
Office furniture	500.00
Mileage	500.00
Fringe benefits	3,719.00

Chairman Barrett explained that the Board of Selectmen has felt the need for an administrative assistant and appointed a committee to study that need comprised of William Rotch, Frank Doyle and David Hodgen. Their report appears on pages 10 through 14 of the 1983 Town Report. Mr. Hodgen stated that the administrative assistant would have no authority and will serve at the pleasure of the Board of Selectmen. Stephen MacDonald agrees with the need for an administrative assistant but questions whether the salary budgeted is adequate. Mr. Hodgen stated that the New Hampshire Municipal Association agrees \$20,000 is a fair salary.

ARTICLE 21. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 to assist the Veterans of Foreign Wars and private Milford business contributors in helping to underwrite the ever-increasing costs of the annual Labor Day Parade and thus ensure its continuance for the enjoyment of the children and citizens of Milford and our visitors. A question was raised as to why a Labor Day parade has such a heavy military emphasis rather than a parade with a military emphasis on Memorial Day. Moderator Philbrick explained that although the parade is sponsored by the VFW, anyone is encouraged to participate. There has not been a labor float in the parade in a number of years. The Labor Day parade has traditionally been a large activity in the town. Chairman English stated that the parade can't be considered a military parade since it also contains antique cars, floats and marching bands, and last year the parade took 45 minutes to pass one location.

ARTICLE 22. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the repair of the gutter system of the Wadleigh Memorial Library.

ARTICLE 23. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Library Trustees and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,500.00 to remove the asbestos insulation at the Wadleigh Memorial Library and to replace same with an approved alternative insulation. Denise Johnson, Chairman of the Library Trustees explained that \$7,500 was a quote received from one of the few contractors in the

area who deals in removing asbestos insulation. She did not have the quote available and requested anyone with further questions to contact her after the meeting to arrange to receive a copy of the quote. She advised that they believe it would take approximately a week to complete the work.

ARTICLE 24. It was moved by the Library Trustees, seconded by the Library Trustees and defeated by a large majority to approve the use of the Hutchinson Fund principal for the sole purpose of the building of a new public library, and to rescind the vote on Article #9 of the 1958 Town Meeting which called for the use of the principal for the erection or maintenance of a public hospital in the Town of Milford.

A motion by the Library Trustees to consider Article 25 before Article 24 was not approved. Moderator Philbrick agreed to allow discussion of Articles 24, 25 and 26 at the same time since they are related issues. Chairman Johnson explained that the \$28,000 spent a few years ago for architectural drawings of an addition to the present library proved that the present building was inadequate and a new library is needed. She explained that in 1958 Paul Hutchinson died leaving money in his will to the Town of Milford to be used at the discretion of the governing body for the erection and/or maintenance of a public library or a public hospital in the Town of Milford. The 1958 Town Meeting voted to leave the principal intact for the purpose of building a town hospital. The Library Trustees believe that there is no need for a hospital in Milford with all of the nearby hospitals, but we do need a new library. If Article 24 is passed, the Library Trustees intend to spend the principal. Chairman Barrett stated that he believes the principal should be retained for the income it generates. Chairman English stated that he believes we should have a bond issue that would require a two-thirds vote for construction of a new library. That way, the town could have a new library within three or four years. Chairman Barrett agreed that a major capital expenditure should have the backing of two-thirds of the town. He would like to see a complete presentation by the Library Trustees justifying the need for a new library and setting forth plans and costs. We should know about the whole project and then vote on the bond issue. Richard D'Amato stated that he believes this is a good way to start a library fund. Richard Stetson agreed that we need a new library, but would hate to see the principal of the Hutchinson Trust Fund spent. Evelyn Higgs, a former library employee, spoke as to the need for a new library. Stephen Martin indicated that we need a study committee to propose a package plan for a new library. Richard Hillman called the question, it was seconded and voted unanimously. On a vote for Article 24, the article was defeated.

ARTICLE 25. It was moved by the Library Trustees, seconded by the Library Trustees and almost unanimously defeated to approve the use of the income from the Hutchinson legacy for the sole purpose of the building of a new public library and that the income be allowed to accumulate for this purpose. Chairman Barrett asked when the Library Trustees plan to come forward with a bond issue for a new library. Chairman Johnson replied March 1985. Chairman Barrett asked what the \$400,000 appraised value of the current library had to do with the cost of building a new library. Chairman Johnson responded that the current value of the library building should be credited toward the building fund.

Selectman Prestipino called the question, it was seconded and voted unanimously. On a vote on Article 25, the article was defeated.

ARTICLE 26. It was moved by the Library Trustees, seconded by the Library Trustees and defeated by a majority vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for the construction of a new public library and the purchase of a new library site, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 for the initial payment to the Fund. Charles Worcester stated that a committee should be appointed by the moderator. Richard Stetson questioned whether such a committee would need funding to obtain drawings. Charles Worcester advised that funds would not be needed in the first year. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously. On a vote on Article 26, the no votes had it and the article was lost.

ARTICLE 14. (Continued)

LIBRARY:

\$75,508 for Library, on motion of the Budget Committee, seconded by the Budget Committee and voted unanimously. Chairman English explained that the reduction is based on the usage of the income from the Hutchinson Trust Fund since Article 25 was defeated. Mike Deasy inquired whether the Hutchinson money was being spent in accordance with the terms of the Hutchinson will. Chairman Barrett said that the library trust funds, by State law, must be turned over to the Library Trustees. The Board has a letter from counsel stating that using the funds for general library use would be "library maintenance" as stated in the Hutchinson will. Mike Deasy made a motion to amend the figure to \$87,500 to provide funding for the study committee. Stephen Martin made a motion to amend the figure to \$80,508 to provide \$5,000 for the use of a study committee. Mervin Newton stated that there is not enough money in the budget to run the library. He stated the Budget Committee had previously agreed to \$88,939. Chairman Barrett explained that the \$13,431 difference is based on the \$5,431 the library had in cash on hand at the end of the year and an increase of \$8,000 on the estimate of income by Richard Fisk, Trustee of Trust Funds. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously. The amendment for \$80,508 was defeated by a close vote. The amendment for \$87,500 was defeated by a large margin. The motion on \$75,508 was passed by an almost unanimous vote.

Chairman English asked for a moment of silence in memory of former selectman Frederic Fletcher, who died on June 12, 1983.

ARTICLE 27. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the support of the Milford Historical Society in continuing the development and maintenance of their home, the purpose of which is to ensure the preservation of Milford's antiquities and share them with students and townspeople.

ARTICLE 28. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and almost unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,610.00 to participate in the Nashua Regional Planning Commission.

ARTICLE 29. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate

the sum of \$1,875.00 for its share of the Nashua Regional Solid Waste District budget for 1984.

ARTICLE 30. The Budget Committee amended the article to show a figure of \$72,187. The Board of Selectmen amended the article to omit any monetary figure since they just need a vote on how the money already appropriated should be raised, not a request for additional funding. Article 30 will be voted by ballot. The Board of Selectmen stated that the loss of the Savage Well was a capital disaster to the whole town, and as such should be paid for by general taxation. Having water is an advantage to everyone in town for broadening the tax base by attracting new industry, by providing a source of water to fight fires, by providing a source of water to non-users should their wells run dry, and having a good source of water to fight fires lowers the insurance costs on town buildings. It will cost \$1.05 per \$1,000 assessed valuation to have this on the tax rate.

David Richardson stated that the cost of the wells should be split between users and the general tax rate. Chairman English stated that if the town did not have a well disaster, we would be using the Savage well and spending money to put a new well beside it on line, for a cost of approximately \$100,000. If that had happened, the \$100,000 would have been paid by the water users. Therefore, the Budget Committee recommends a splitting of payment between the users and the town. This would mean a tax increase of 77¢ per \$1,000 assessed valuation and no increase in water rates at present.

Richard Stetson stated that when a non-user's well goes dry, he must pay to replace it all by himself. The non-users shouldn't have to pay anything for the new wells at all. Carl Thornblad stated that he is a Milford resident who has Wilton water and he doesn't believe the non-users should have to pay. Selectman Putnam said that we may recover part of the cost of the new wells from the EPA sometime in the future, which would be income to the town and non-offsetting funds if the water users pay for the wells. Also, on the school budget, the people who are non-users for water are the ones who benefit from the school buses that everyone pays for. John Ulricson believes that if you don't use something, you shouldn't have to pay for it. He stated that in New Hampshire, 85 percent of municipal water systems are paid for only by those who use them. Chairman Barrett reminded the residents that the Water Department is not a legal entity and cannot enter into any agreements on its own. Therefore, should the Water Department be unable to meet any payment, the Town would have to make the payment.

Chairman English repeated the Budget Committee's unanimous opinion that the cost should be split. Richard Hillman agreed with the Budget Committee's recommendation. The question was called, seconded and unanimously voted. Moderator Philbrick announced the vote by ballot on the amendment by the Board of Selectmen which would omit any monetary figure. A Yes vote indicates a desire to have the entire cost put on the tax rate.

A recess was called at 10:30 p.m. in order to begin the voting. Moderator Philbrick called the meeting to order at 10:43 p.m. Articles 31 and 32 will be skipped pending the outcome of the ballot vote on Article 30.

ARTICLE 33. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate

the sum of \$10,000.00 to replace 592 feet of 8 inch clay sanitary sewer main pipe on West Street.

ARTICLE 34. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$371,508 to operate and maintain the Wastewater Treatment Plant. This amount includes \$7,000.00 for a new pick up truck and \$4,700.00 for hazardous gas detection system. Said appropriation to be offset by income received from a sewer users charge. Edward Durfee inquired why there was an increase since there is a surplus in this account. Chairman Barrett stated that there was an increase to add a sixth person at the plant, as well as the operation of the lagoon. The Board hired an engineering firm to review the management of the plant and analyze the staffing. They recommended adding the sixth person to enable the staff to perform preventative maintenance for which there is currently no manpower available. Wilton pays for approximately 13 percent of the total budget, the remaining 87 percent is paid by the users in the Town of Milford. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 35. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,840.00 for the purpose of remodeling the present cell block with a new front, three doors and hardware.

Moderator Philbrick declared the polls closed for voting on Article 30 and appointed tellers to count the ballots.

ARTICLE 36. It was moved by the Band Concert Committee, seconded by the Band Concert Committee and almost unanimously defeated to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,500.00 to sponsor a special 4th of July Band Concert and fireworks, etc., featuring the New Hampshire Symphony. There was to be \$8,000 to get the New Hampshire Symphony to come to Milford and the remainder for fireworks. The concert and fireworks would be held at Keyes Field, weather permitting. If not, it would be held at the armory. There was an amendment to a figure of \$5,124 to have another symphony and fireworks. Anne Adams amended the article to \$12,624 to have the New Hampshire Symphony and the fireworks. The increase was due to the cost of having the fireworks show run by professionals. Dale White stated that we don't need more than the current band concert series. Anne Adams advised that they are not planning to charge admission but will "pass the hat." Merrimack had 25,000 people at their fireworks display last year. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously. Both of the amendments and the article were defeated.

Moderator Philbrick announced the ballot vote on Article 30:

YES 207

NO 101

The Town has adopted Article 30 to direct the Board of Selectmen not to include the principal and interest payment on the Curtis Wells in the Water Department budget, thereby the Town directing the Selectmen that the Capital investment of the Curtis Wells will become a general town liability.

Moderator Philbrick advised that since Article 30 was approved, there is no vote necessary on Article 31.

ARTICLE 32. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate

the sum of \$262,892 to operate and maintain the Water Department. Said appropriation to be offset by income from the water users of an equal amount.

ARTICLE 37. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to use the Highway Block Grant Aid Funds of \$83,702.00 for the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of Class IV and V highways. Superintendent of Public Works Robert Courage told the meeting that the State of New Hampshire has recognized the way it allocates highway funds.

ARTICLE 38. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to expend \$16,000.00 from the former Town Road Aid "A" and Town Road Aid "B" funds that are being returned to the Town by the State of New Hampshire (\$43,123.18) for installation of new guard rails and masonry pointing on the bridge by the Union Square Mobil Station.

ARTICLE 39. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for the construction and/or reconstruction of Class IV and V highways, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the initial payment to the fund.

ARTICLE 40. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purchase of conservation/recreation lands, specifically (1) land of William J. and Emerline Gibbons, Savage Road, Milford, Lot # 94, Town Tax Map # 7, and (2) land of the Estate of Charles S. Curtis, Savage Road, Milford, Lot # 95, Town Tax Map # 7. Chairman English explained that last year the voters authorized the purchase of the land, and this year they have the final cost. The town's share of the purchase price of \$66,000 is \$15,000. The Budget Committee supports this article, but does not support Article 41 for an additional appropriation. Russell Monbleau of the Conservation Commission advised that the land will become part of the green belt. There is also the possibility for future usage as a reservoir in the Tucker Brook area.

ARTICLE 41. It was moved by the Conservation Commission, seconded and defeated by a narrow margin to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 for the use of the Milford Conservation Commission for the proper utilization and protection of the natural resources and for the protection of the watershed resources of the Town with any unexpended balance at the end of the year transferred to the Milford Conservation Commission Fund under the provision of Revised Statutes Annotated 36-A:5. Russell Monbleau stated that the Commission almost lost out on obtaining the lands on Savage Road due to lack of funding. Also, federal funds are becoming harder to obtain. This money would allow the Commission to act quickly should desirable lands become available in the future. Chairman English stated that \$25,000 won't buy much land, and the town can't afford to have the money sitting around. A motion was made and seconded to amend the figure to \$10,000 so there would be money available for a down payment on any available lands. Mr. Monbleau said that having funds on hand would be a notice to land owners that the town is interested in acquiring more land. The question was called, seconded

and voted unanimously. The amendment and the original article were defeated by voice votes.

Chairman Barrett expressed his thanks for dedicated service to retiring Board members Bartolo Prestipino and Walter Putnam. Selectman Putnam thanked Chairman Barrett for his six years of service to the Town of Milford.

Moderator Philbrick announced the results of the ballot votes for Town Officers at 11:31 p.m. There were a total of 1,394 ballots cast. The results are as follows:

Town Treasurer

***Septima L. Gaidmore** 1,211

Trustee of Trust Funds for Three Years

***Donald R. Blanchette** 1,126

Selectman for Three Years

Duane F. Brown 238

Karin Campbell 150

George L. Clarke, Jr. 84

Gerald P. Gaidmore 325

***Avery R. Johnson** 462

Murray A. Pringle, Sr. 86

***Rosario Ricciardi** 676

Charles B. Webster 112

John A. Welch 370

Selectman for Two Years

***William C. English** 623

James Rasmussen 295

Nicholas J. SanMartino, Jr. 390

Selectman for One Year

Antimo F. Carpentieri 254

Christine Clarry 158

Otis E. Fairfield 104

***May C. Gaffney** 358

Vernon V. Goodell 69

Howard R. Greene, Jr. 72

Arthur G. LeBlanc 38

Donald Montclare 264

Fireward for Three Years

***Dominic Calvetti** 1,222

Fireward for One Year

***Richard P. Tortorelli** 755

James K. Wetherbee 515

Library Trustee for Three Years

Charles Robert Beardsley 520

***Mervin D. Newton** 588

***Phillip Savage** 521

Paul D. Snider 238

Library Trustee for Two Years

***Ronald N. Lindquist** 660

William C. Petraske 451

Library Trustee for One Year

***Deborah J. Draper** 780

Darlene M. Goodin 350

Supervisors of Checklists for Six Years

***John C. Farwell** 1,141

Moderator for Two Years

***Robert D. Philbrick** 1,146

***Deemed elected by Moderator Philbrick.**

QUESTION NO. 1. Shall the provisions of Ch. 287 RSA relative to playing of Beano be adopted in this Town?

YES 1,026

NO 282

QUESTION NO. 2. Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-f for the adjusted elderly exemptions from property tax? These statutes provide for the following exemptions, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers: for a person 65 years of age up to 75 years, \$10,000; for a person 75 years of age up to 80 years, \$15,000; for a person 80 years of age or older, \$20,000. To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 5 years; own the real estate individually or jointly, or if the real estate is owned by his spouse, they must have been married for at least 5 years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of less than \$10,000 or if married, a combined net income of less than \$12,000, and own net assets of \$30,000 or less, excluding the value of the person's residence.

YES 1,016

NO 271

QUESTION NO. 3. Shall we permit the Public Library to retain all money it receives from its income-generating equipment to be used for general repairs and upgrading and for the purchase of books, supplies and income-generating equipment?

YES 1,171

NO 127

ARTICLE 42. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to ratify the opinion of the Board of Selectmen that the reappraisal of the Town is an issue that must be addressed and that the Board of Selectmen shall appoint a committee of nine (9) (two from industry, two from commercial, and five from residential tax payers), to investigate the need and report back to the Selectmen with their recommendations by December 1st, 1984.

ARTICLE 43. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded and unanimously voted to instruct the Selectmen to have the funds appropriated for a series of Band Concerts under the Selectmen's Budget to be used exclusively for appropriately advertised concerts. Elaine Boulton spoke as to the need to have only "old fashioned" band concerts. Robert Willette amended the motion to call for "old fashioned" band concerts only. Stephen Martin stated that he supports the Budget Committee's call for appropriately advertised concerts. Besides, who would determine the meaning of "old fashioned"? Harold Adams, a member of the Band Concert Committee stated that the committee should not be restricted as to what bands they can have, but should advertise the type of band concert being held. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously. The amendment for "old fashioned" band concerts was defeated.

ARTICLE 44. It was moved by the Conservation Commission, seconded by the Budget Committee and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Conservation Commission to continue its work. Russell Monbleau explained that the funds are the Com-

mission's operating budget for the year. The question was called, seconded and voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 45. It was amended by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Budget Committee and voted by a majority to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for contribution to the Nashua Community Council Mental Health Clinic. The Board of Selectmen had originally moved the figure of \$6,000.00 Chairman English explained that the Budget Committee favored retaining last year's appropriation since the Nashua Community Council Mental Health Clinic was not supplying the Budget Committee with the requested financial information.

Moderator Philbrick announced the results of the ballot votes for School Officers at 11:50 p.m. There were a total of 1,391 ballots cast. The results are as follows:

Moderator for One Year	
*Robert D. Philbrick	876
David Quigley	473
Clerk for One Year**	
S. Richards	16
W. McBrien	19
Treasurer for One Year	
*Francis W. Mistrangelo	1,045
School Board Member for Three Years	
Peter R. Basiliere	271
Raymond H. Blank	211
Richard F. Hillman	348
*Stuart W. Horne	860
Linda L. Miles	364
*Lorna Wiedman	376

*Deemed elected by Moderator Philbrick.

**No candidates filed for the position of School Clerk. The School Board will appoint a clerk at a later date.

ARTICLE 46. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,950.00 for contribution to the St. Joseph Community Services Inc., in order for them to continue the meals program to the older persons of Milford. The Budget Committee originally moved this article with the sum of \$3,475, cutting the appropriation in half. The Board of Selectmen made a motion to amend the figure back to \$6,950. Chairman English explained that since the meals program had been receiving large sums of money from both the state and federal governments, he had asked them what would happen if Milford cut out all monetary support. He was told, "we will have to adjust". He believes that Milford should reduce its contribution. Elaine Boulton stated that the meals program does have money on hand in the form of CD's, but that this is merely a cushion to carry them when federal funds are slow to arrive. Currently, approximately 139 Milford residents are served by the program. Chairman Barrett stated that he was told that the current cost of the meals program is apportioned to each town based on \$55 per person per year, and will be cut next year if possible, but for all towns, not just Milford. Elaine Boulton advised that the participants in the program donate what they can towards the cost of the meal, the average being 75¢. Moderator Philbrick left the podium to address the

meeting as a resident to urge continued funding for the program. He noted that there are a large number of elderly people in town who live alone, their only contact with others being through the individual who delivers their meals. The meals program not only delivers food, it checks up on the elderly. The Board of Selectmen's amendment for full funding was passed unanimously.

ARTICLE 47. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,425.00 to install a basic smoke and heat detection system and replace necessary wiring in the Town Hall, and install a new sub-panel in the ambulance bay. And further authorize the withdrawal of \$2,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to apply to this appropriation.

ARTICLE 48. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for payment to the Souhegan Valley Association for the Handicapped to help defray the cost of transportation and other operational expenses for handicapped individuals in our Township.

ARTICLE 49. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to change the purpose of the \$3,000.00 in earmarked funds for the Town Hall Study Committee to necessary remodeling in the Town Hall to alleviate crowded conditions on the main floor.

ARTICLE 50. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of any unneeded town equipment at any time and in such manner that the Board feels is in the best interest of the Town. When the disposal is other than by public bid, notices of the sale must be made public for fourteen (14) days before final action is taken by the Board. Chairman English explained that the Budget Committee changed the number of days from 7 to 14 because they believe there should be time for the sale to be advertised in the Milford Cabinet weekly newspaper in two issues.

ARTICLE 51. It was moved by the Board of Selectmen, seconded and unanimously voted to pass over Article 51 since the street light requested has already been installed.

ARTICLE 52. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dismantle unnecessary equipment at the old pumping station on South Street and to dispose of that equipment in a manner which is in the best interests of the Town.

ARTICLE 53. It was moved by the Budget Committee, seconded by the Board of Selectmen and unanimously voted to authorize withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the Provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, as amended in 1976, by the Second Session of the 94th Congress for use as set-offs against budget appropriations in the amount indicated; and further to authorize the Selectmen to make pro-rate reductions in the amounts if estimated entitlements are reduced or take any other action thereon:

Audit	\$400.00
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ARTICLE 54. It was moved by Evelyn Higgs, seconded and unanimously voted to direct the Town Moderator, in consultation with the

Library Board of Trustees, to appoint a committee to produce a proposal to be presented to the 1985 Town Meeting, outlining a plan to build a new library for the Town of Milford.

Robert Willette questioned whether the light by the nursing home on Elm Street had been installed as voted under Article 29 last year. Chairman Barrett stated that the street light had been installed.

There being no further business to properly come before the 191st Meeting of the Town of Milford, on motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously voted to adjourn the Meeting at 12:15 a.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 1984. Moderator Philbrick announced that the vote on zoning proposals would be announced when available later that day.

At 3:05 a.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 1984, Wildred Leduc, Town Clerk, announced the results of the ballot votes on zoning proposals. The results are as follows:

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 1. To amend Article II - Residence R. District - paragraph R-3, by adding the following to said paragraph: (This will exclude the following from this district)

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| "b. Dumps | d. Motels |
| c. Junk Yards | e. Mobilehome Parks." |

YES 642

*NO 582

The protest petition filed on this amendment was upheld and the amendment was defeated by not obtaining a two-thirds affirmative vote.

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 2. To amend Article I by adding the following section: "1-9 Other Regulations, Ordinances and Statutes. In addition to complying with the regulations established herein, the applicant shall comply with all other applicable regulations, ordinances and statutes of the town, the State of New Hampshire, and the United States Government, particularly but not limited to the Zoning Ordinance, Cluster Open Space Development, Wetland Conservation District, Flood Plain Management Ordinance, Subdivision Regulations, Road Specifications, Non-Residential Site Plan Review Regulations, Building Codes and Permits, and the State of New Hampshire's statutes and regulations relating to land sales and pollution."

*YES 664

NO 526

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 3. To amend Article II, Paragraph 2-1, by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following: "Those areas of Milford not serviced by both municipal sewerage and water systems shall have single family lots not less in area than forty thousand (40,000) square feet, or larger depending on soil and slope conditions, as may be suitable to sustain development according to state standards, with one hundred fifty (150) feet of frontage on a principal route of access."

*YES 651

NO 571

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 4. To amend Article II by inserting the following: "2-5 In those areas serviced by both municipal sewerage and water systems, the minimum lot size in the Commercial Business District and Industrial District shall be 20,000 square feet, together with 150 feet of frontage on the principal route of access." In those commercial and industrial areas not serviced by municipal sewerage and water systems, the minimum lot size shall be 60,000 square feet, together with 225 feet of frontage on the principal route of access.

*YES 615

NO 590

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 5. To amend Article II, paragraph 2-2 by deleting "eight (8) dwelling units per acre." and inserting in its place "five (5) dwelling units per acre."

YES 615

*NO 598

The protest petition filed on this amendment was upheld and the amendment was defeated by not obtaining a two-thirds affirmative vote.

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 6. To amend Article II, Residence B District by deleting the last paragraph in its entirety and inserting it under 2-1 (a): "2-1 (b) No multi-family dwellings shall be allowed in any district unless serviced by municipal water and municipal sewage. This shall apply to multi-family dwellings located in any district."

YES 565

*NO 652

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 7. To amend Article II - Wetland Conservation District - A. General, by deleting the third paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following paragraph: "In the event an area is incorrectly designated on the Town of Milford Wetland Conversation District Map as determined by an on-site soils investigation and analysis, conducted by a soils scientist qualified in field analysis, the results obtained will determine if the restrictions contained in this section shall or shall not apply."

*YES 668

NO 485

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 8. To amend Article I by inserting the following: "1-8 No business, commercial, or industrial use shall be permitted which could cause any undue hazard of health or safety or which is offensive to the public because of noise, vibration, noxious odor, smoke or other similar reason."

*YES 760

NO 451

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 9. To amend Article II, Paragraph 2-1 (a) by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following: "2-1 (a) All two family residences not serviced by both municipal sewerage and municipal water systems shall have lots not less in area than 80,000 square feet, or larger depending on soil and slope conditions, as may be suitable to sustain development according to state standards, with 225 feet of frontage on a principal route of access."

YES 576

*NO 612

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 10. To amend Article IV, Section 2, page A14 by inserting the following: "4-2 (d) All applications for building permits shall be posted for a period of five (5) working days before being presented to the Selectmen."

*YES 641

NO 545

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 11. To amend Article II, by adding the following after C-2: "C-3. Any commercial building built in a Commercial-Business District shall be set back at least ten (10) feet from the front, side and rear property lot lines. The area bounded by the Souhegan River to the north, Great Brook to the west, to a line from middle of High Street to the south, to Franklin Street to the east, to Pine Street also to the east, back to the Souhegan River will be excluded from this setback requirement."

*YES 666

NO 512

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 12. To amend Article III - Mobilehome Parks - by deleting the following sections on Page A-13:3-6 Water - Ade-

quate and potable supply of water shall be provided each mobilehome from a source approved by the Health Officer of the Town of Milford and the State Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission.

3-7 Sewerage - Each mobilehome park shall provide a sewerage system which shall meet and conform to the Sanitary Codes of the State Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission and the Health Officer of the Town of Milford. Each mobilehome shall be provided with the facilities to connect to the sewerage system and shall be required to connect to the system.

3-8 Lot Size - a. Lots which are serviced by municipal water and sewerage systems or community systems provided by the permittee and approved by the State Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission and the Health Officer of the Town of Milford shall be not less than fifteen thousand (15,000) square feet in area and shall have not less than one hundred (100) feet on the principal road of access to the lot.

b. Lots which are not serviced by municipal or approved (as provided in Section a. above) community water and sewer systems shall be not less than forty thousand (40,000) square feet in area and shall have not less than one hundred fifty (150) feet of frontage on the principal road of access to the lot.

***YES 657**

NO 519

The protest petition filed on this amendment was denied and the amendment was passed by a simple majority.

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 13. To amend Article II - Industrial District - paragraph 1-3, by adding the following to said paragraph: (This will exclude the following from this district.)

“d. Manufactured Housing (mobilehomes). e. Multi-family dwellings.”

YES 467

***NO 709**

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 14. To amend Article II - Residence R District - paragraph R-1, by deleting said paragraph in its entirety and inserting in its place the following:

“R-1. Acceptable uses in this District.

a. Hospitals.

b. Schools.

c. Farm, agriculture or nursery use.

d. Mobilehomes.

e. Harvesting of natural resources.

f. Public utility use necessary for public welfare.

g. Recreational uses.”

***YES 632**

NO 535

The protest petition filed on this amendment was denied and the amendment was passed by a simple majority.

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 15. To amend Article IV, paragraph 4-2, by adding the following to said paragraph 4-2: “d. No building permit may be obtained until a driveway entrance permit has been approved by the Department of Public Works.”

YES 547

***NO 628**

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 16. To amend the Building Code by deleting Section 1 on Page E 5 in its entirety and inserting the following in its place: “Section 1. Adoption of One and Two Family Dwelling Code. That certain documents, one (1) copy of which is on file in the office of the

Town Clerk of the Town of Milford, being marked and designated as "Cabo One and Two Family Dwelling Code, New Edition, 1983" as published by the nationally recognized model code groups be and are hereby adopted as the One and Two Family Dwelling Code of the Town of Milford in the State of New Hampshire; for the control of buildings and structures as herein provided; and each and all of the regulations, provisions, penalties, conditions and terms of the "One and Two Family Dwelling Code, New Edition, 1983" is hereby referred to, adopted and made a part hereof, as if fully set out in this Ordinance, with the additions, insertions and changes, if any, prescribed in Section 2 of this Ordinance. This code supersedes the requirements of the BOCA Basic Building Code for one and two family dwellings only. Final interpretation and implementation of this code will rest with the local authorities."

***YES 572**

NO 559

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 17. To amend the Building Code by deleting PART VI on Page E 7 in its entirety and inserting the following in its place:

"PART VI

ELECTRICAL

The electrical requirement shall conform to the 1984 National Electrical Code as published by the National Fire Protection Association. Final interpretation and implementation of this code will rest with the local authorities."

***YES 726**

NO 456

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 18. To amend the Zoning Ordinance and Map by rezoning from Industrial to Residence A all the land that falls within the following described boundaries:

Starting at the point where the Town Line between Milford and Brookline meet on Route 13 and going North along Route 13 to the northern property line of the lot Numbered 5/169-4 on the Milford Tax Map, going East along such property line to Colburn Road turning South along Colburn Road to Foster Road and turning West to the Milford-Brookline Town Line and following the Town Line to the starting point at Route 13.

YES 602

***NO 581**

The protest petition filed on this amendment was upheld and the amendment was defeated by not obtaining a two-thirds affirmative vote.

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 19. We, residents of the area located off Route 13 South bounded by Ruonala, Melendy, Colburn and Foster Roads do respectfully petition the Town of Milford to revise the zoning of the following defined area from Industrial to Residential.

Area recommended to be re-zoned residential:

All land bounded by Ruonala Road to the West, Melendy Road to the North, Colburn to the East, Foster Road and the Town Line to the South.

YES 464

***NO 754**

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 20. We, all duly registered voters of the Town of Milford, hereby petition the Milford Planning Board to submit the following amendment to the Milford Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map to the voters of the Town of Milford in accordance with N.H.R.S.A. 31:63-b.

Amend the Town of Milford's Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map by making the following change:

Redesignate, from zoning classification "INDUSTRIAL" to "RURAL" that portion of land on Milford Tax Map #7 which is bounded as follows:

1. On the north by the railroad tracks of the Boston and Maine Railroad Company;
2. On the east by New Hampshire Route 101 By-pass;
3. On the south by the zoning district line as shown on said map;
4. On the west by the Milford/Wilton town line.

YES 414

*NO 787

ZONING AMENDMENT NO. 21. We, the undersigned, hereby submit a petition to amend the Zoning Ordinance and Map of the Town of Milford. To rezone from Rural to Residence A all the land that falls within the following described boundaries, which appear on the attached map. Starting at a point which marks the southwesterly boundary of the Devine property with Savage Road, proceeding along a line drawn due east to a point 1,000 feet from the easterly side of Savage Road. From that point a line running southerly, maintaining 1,000 feet distance from the easterly side of Savage Road and then Whitten Road, to a point 1,000 feet south of the southerly boundary of Mason Road. From that point of line running westerly, maintaining a 1,000 foot distance from the southerly boundary of Mason Road, to the Milford/Wilton Town Line. Thence, a line running north along the Milford/Wilton Town Line to the intersection of a line drawn due west from the beginning point.

YES 375

*NO 822

*Deemed voted as marked.

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A recount request was filed for the office of Library Trustee for Three Years. On March 23, 1984, the ballots were recounted by Selectmen Rosario Ricciardi, Frank Stetson and Avery Johnson; Town Clerk Wilfred Leduc; and Assistant Town Moderator Lorraine Prestipino. The results are as follows:

Charles Robert Beardsley	521
*Mervin D. Newton	589
*Phillip Savage	522
Paul D. Snider	243

A recount request was filed for the office of School Board Member for Three Years. On March 23, 1984, the ballots were recounted by School Board Members Stuart Horne, Stephen MacDonald and Kevin Taylor; School Clerk Sandra Richard; and Assistant School Moderator Lorraine Prestipino. The results are as follows:

Peter R. Basiliere	290
Raymond H. Blank	170
Richard F. Hillman	355
*Stuart W. Horne	862
Linda L. Miles	378
*Lorna Wiedman	381

*Deemed elected.



TOWN OF MILFORD

New Hampshire

Office of Selectmen

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A U D I T O R ' S R E P O R T

The audit is in progress at the present time and is not completed at the time the material was due to the printers for this Town Report.

The Auditor's Report will be available to the general public for their review in the Selectmen's Office on March 9, 1985.

The Board of Selectmen

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

Tel. # _____

In order to make my contribution to the growth and welfare of the Town of Milford, I am willing to volunteer to serve on the following Board or Committee. My preference is indicated by 1, 2, 3, etc.

_____Water Advisory Board

_____Conservation Commission

_____Cemetery Advisory Board

_____Planning Board - Regular

_____Parks & Playground
Advisory Board

_____Planning Board - Alternate

_____Board of Adjustment -
R e g u l a r

_____Budget Committee - Town

_____Board of Adjustment -
Alternate

_____Budget Committee - School

_____Civil Defense -
many openings

_____Any Committee as needed

Attach a brief statement as to why you feel qualified to serve as indicated above.

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Town Hall
Milford, N.H. 03055

